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160 SWIMMERS TO TAKE WATER IN TO-DAY'S HARBOUR RACE

ORWELL FAVOURITE FOR ST LEGER

April Fifth Certain Starter.
LANE HANDS OVER SILVERMERE TO DICK.
Final Call Over.

London, To-day.
Orwell has remained firm in betting circles and yesterday was quoted at 3 to 1, while Udaipur the second favourite gave place to Violator who showed a slight advantage.

April Fifth, the Derby winner, is a certain starter and is considered a 40-1 chance showing that the public are not expecting too much from Tom Wall's unfortunate horse.

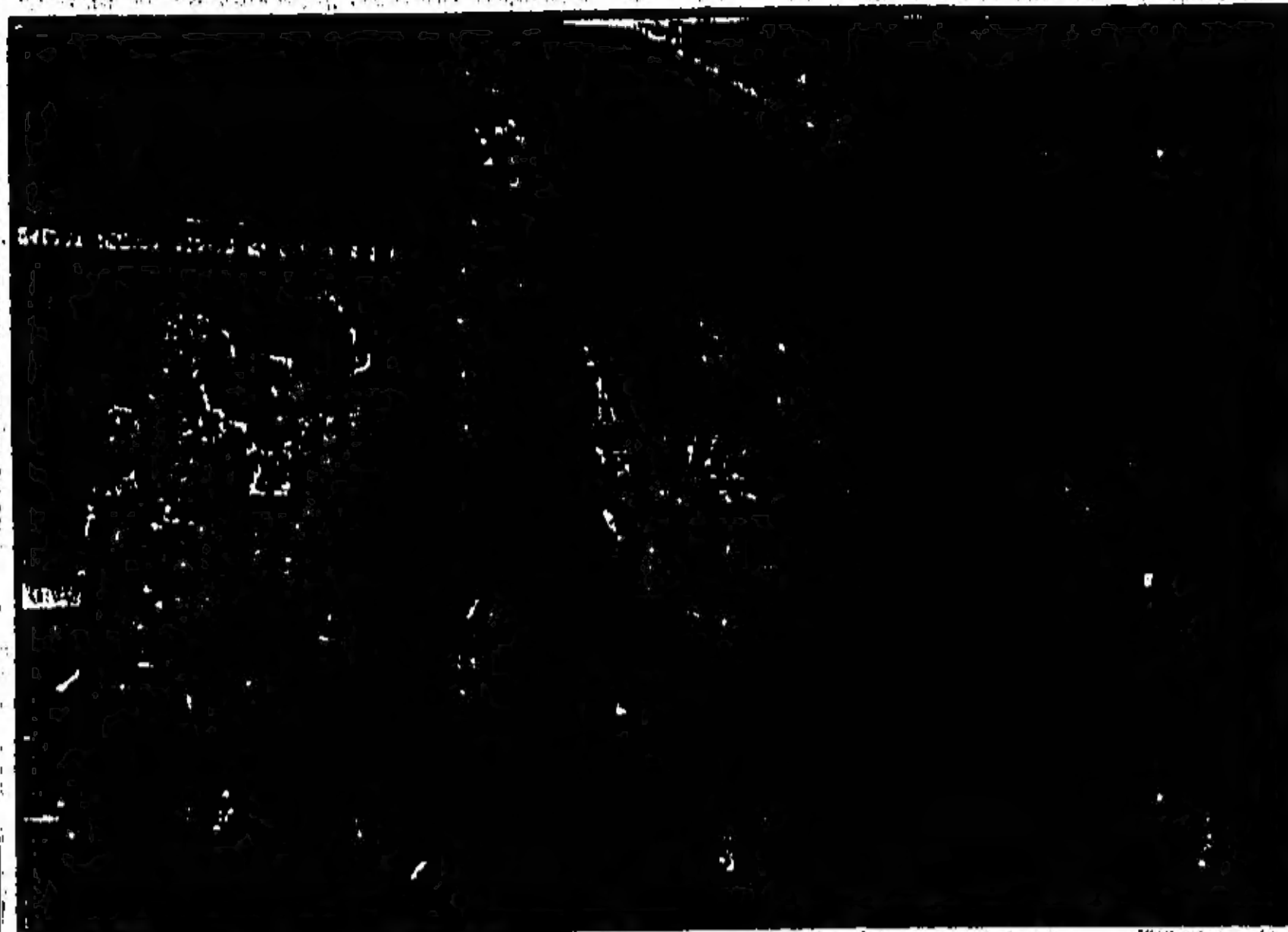
Firdausi will be ridden by Fox, and J. Ellis has relieved Nevett of the responsibility of Royal Dancer. With the starting of April Fifth, Lane, the Derby hero, has given up Silvermere to Dick. Only one late scratching was recorded, Characou being withdrawn.

The Aga Khan's Udaipur has not been so well backed as expected as the result of recent training statistics, but its chances are by no means out of the question. The filly is up against a colt that failed to last the 1 1/2 miles Derby course and her rider, Harry Wragg, is out to bring the Aga Khan's colours first past the post. His last classic win was in the Oaks when he brought Udaipur in first after a thrilling finish. Orwell, however, has improved considerably during recent gallops and Jones will be all out to atone for his essential Derby defeat. Orwell is undoubtedly the best horse of the year and, even after proving a dismal Derby failure, still carries the public's money.

Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, is riding Violator, the second favourite and is tipped in many quarters as the winner of the Doncaster Classic. April Fifth, the Derby winner, is a certain starter but the chances of Tom Wall's colt are not considered too bright.

The following is the final St. Leger Call Over—

- 3-1 t and o—Orwell (Jones)
- 13-2 Violator (Gordon Richards)
- 7-1 t and o—Udaipur (Harry Wragg)
- 10-1 Dastur (Beary)
- 10-1 t and o—Loamingdale (Joe Childs)
- 100-9 t and o—Fog Horn II (Bouillon)
- 20-1 t and o—Celebrator (Burns)
- 25-1 o—Firdausi (Fox)
- 28-1 t and o—Gainslaw (Lowry)
- 30-1 o—32-1—Hesperus (Elliott)
- 40-1 o—32-1—April Fifth (Lane)
- 40-1 o—32-1—Silvermere (Dick)
- 40-1 o—32-1—Tajikara (Strett)
- 35-1 o—Royal Dancer (Ellis)
- 35-1 o—Gavelling (Parryman)
- 45-2 Royal Dancer (Ellis)
- 66-1—Bessie (Gordon Richards)
- 200-1 t and o—Will O' the Wisp (Steve Newcomb)



"IN CHARGE"—A policeman taking some young competitors to the start at the City of London Police Athletic Club's annual sports meeting at Stamford Bridge.

GERMANY'S ARMAMENT ULTIMATUM

Threatens To Leave Arms Conference.

PARITY DEMANDED.

Opposition From France Appears Inevitable.

Berlin, To-day.
Germany made known to the world to-day the substance of her demands in the aide memoire recently delivered to the Government of France, and revealed that the note was nothing short of an ultimatum.

The German attitude is stiff and the language of Chancellor Von Papen leaves no room for doubt but that Germany will make good her threat to withdraw from all disarmament conferences unless her demands for equality of armaments are met.

The parity of arms and armies among the nations of Europe is sought by a reduction of the instruments of war and standing forces of other powers, the aide memoire explains.

Germany makes it clear that she is tired of being treated as a second class state, but points out that she will be satisfied with a small beginning in her neighbours' disarmament moves, since she is convinced that the second Disarmament Convention will result in a high reduction for the heavily-armed nations.

But in addition to her insistence upon the disarming of other powers, Germany claims the right to revise her whole system of defence, including the

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FOOTBALL PLYMOUTH'S AWAY VICTORY.

Southport Advance Three Places.

London, To-day.
Plymouth Argyle jumped into third place in the Second Division of the English Football League yesterday when they defeated Grimsby Town on the latter's ground by the odd score of five Barrow, matched and away, defeated Southport, while Rochdale are on the half way mark in the Third Division (North) League. Able, Bolton, and

MILE-LONG CORTEGE CROWDS STREETS.

Mrs. Lim Ah Chen Is Mourned By Many.

GRANDSON IN PRISON.

Cheng Kwok-yau Is Awaiting Sentencing.

The funeral of Mrs. Lim Ah Chen, aged 101, the grandmother of Cheng Kwok-yau, who is confined in Victoria Gaol awaiting disposition by the Full Court in the Fung murder case, took place at noon to-day.

The cortege left the late residence, Kwong Hoi Kee, 86, Queen's Road Central, at 11.30 o'clock.

Mrs. Lim passed away on August 30 last, five days after the trial of her grandson had concluded.

Streets in the central district were crowded with Chinese funeral perquisites, and litters bearing gifts from many friends. The cortege was more than a mile long, and made its devious way to the "Yat Pit Ting," Kennedy Road, where last respects were paid by many relatives and friends.

Mrs. Lim was reputed to be one of the wealthiest women in Hong Kong.

HONG KONG DOLLAR DECLINES.

Silver Registers A Slight Advance.

The opening rate of the local dollar remained unchanged this morning, but at noon it dropped 1/8 to 1/4.

A rise in spot and forward silver is reported, being quoted this morning at 18.18/16 and 18.15/16 respectively.

The London on New York cross-rate remains unchanged at \$43.47 1/2, the New York on London rate being quoted at \$23.48 1/2.

NEW MINISTER TO CARACAS.

Mr. J. H. ...

A RECORD ENTRY

CAMPBELL AN ALMOST WINNER.

Keen Regimental Competition.

CHOPPY WATER WILL SLOW RACE.

One of the outstanding sporting events of the Colony will take place this afternoon when 160 swimmers will dive in for the annual Services' Harbour Race. The entry is a record one and a great race is expected.

Pte. Campbell, the sensational Borderers' distance swimmer, is an almost certain winner, even though he is just recovered from an illness.

The race will start at 5 p.m. from Police Pier, Kowloon, and will end at the Praya wall between Queen's Pier and the V.R.C.

Conditions are fair, although the choppy water will no doubt reduce the times considerably, and it is hardly likely that time of 31 minutes 8 seconds set by Gunner Forrester last year will be beaten.

The loss of Coleman, who succumbed to an injury while playing water-polo at the Y.M.C.A. last night, will be a great loss to the South Wales Borderers' hopes, and from a glance at the field it seems highly probable that the Royal Artillery will lift the team prize.

The Argyll and Sutherland Highlanders are likely to make a strong bid for team honours, this being their last swimming season in the Colony, but it is hardly likely that they will gain first place.

Last year the event drew 74 competitors, and out of that number only two failed to finish the course. It will be surprising if this year's field can return the same high percentage of finishers.

The painting of Pyramid Mountain in the Canadian National Railway's Gloucester Building, has been insured for \$5,000 (local currency) by the Butterfield and Swire Company Ltd.

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NUDISTS TRAMP FOR MILES TO BATHE

WOMEN OF CULT FAIL TO CATCH TRAIN

NATIVES AMAZED

(By J. E. WILSON).

Will Hong Kong go Nudist? There is a sect which thinks it ought, but the likelihood of the movement gaining any great strength has been dimmed. It required, perhaps, the pioneering spirit of a few determined men and women to make it a success and much depended on the first outing. The outing on Sunday last was attended by men only. The women missed the train.

I attended this outing as a matter of duty. Anything less like the joy of life would be difficult to imagine, and I found no Paradise in the idyllic spot on the Shing Mun river not far from the village of Tai Wai where the party bathed. Perhaps I was biased somewhat by the fact that I spoiled a perfectly good pair of white shoes crossing dozens of muddy paddy fields, and aggravated by almost falling into the river, where the stepping stones are six feet apart and under water.

The party was only eight strong when we left Kowloon Railway Station on the 1.15 p.m. train. The ladies, as I later learned, had as usual let us down. Two of them must have just missed the train, for Mr. Herbert E. Lanepart, the indefatigable leader of the party, said they were practically on the way. Perhaps it is just as well they weren't on time, for I doubt greatly whether they could have reached the nudist "stronghold" in the hills.

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Trade Unions Urge Reform

London, To-day.

A resolution calling upon the Government to adopt a policy leading to abolition of war debt and reparations, lowering of tariff barriers, providing for planning on a large scale of developments of housing, public control of banking and monopoly industries, and a tax of land values, was unanimously carried at Trade Unions Congress at Newcastle to-day.

While the afternoon session was progressing, unemployed marchers appeared outside. The proposal to admit a deputation to address the Congress was defeated. The Secretary of General Purposes pointing out that the Congress represented unemployed as well as employed, and had passed a resolution dealing with their grievances. British Wireless Service.

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CHINA WANTS JUSTICE.

Dr. Wellington Koo Bound For Paris.

FAITH IN LEAGUE.

"If the League of Nations adheres to its firm principles of peace and justice, the outcome of the discussions regarding the report of the Lytton Commission can only have one outcome," stated Dr. Wellington Koo, China's representative for the League Council meeting to be held at Geneva this month.

In an interview with the China Mail, Dr. Koo said that at the time of his departure from Shanghai, the position there was quiet. "How long it will remain so I cannot tell," he added, "it depends on the attitude of the Japanese troops."

"All China wants is peace and justice," he went on. "It is too early yet to prophesy what action the League will take regarding Manchuria, but I have great faith in the League's discretion." The sympathy of the world seems to be directed towards China to-day.

The Lytton report will not come up for consideration until the next session, owing to the postponement of the League's annual assembly. The annual assembly opens on September 26 and the League's permanent secretariat will then form the main session of the League.

"I myself will not arrive at Geneva until the 15th day of the assembly," he said, "and I shall be very busy with the League's work."

NO COMMENT ON LEAGUE REPORT

Commission's Chief Improved In Health.

IMPRESSED BY COLONY.

Lord Lytton, Chairman of the League of Nations Commission to investigate the Sino-Japanese situation, and Dr. Wellington Koo, arrived in Hong Kong to-day aboard the liner Gange, en route from Shanghai to England, via Venice.

The League's emissary, who has spent many weeks in China and Japan studying the conditions of affairs exhaustively with his colleagues, and who, for the past month or more, has been suffering from a troublesome disability, would not discuss any aspect of the Far Eastern problems. But he was fit and well again, he said, and anxious to be home.



Dr. Wellington Koo.

His Commission's report, said Lord Lytton, was on its way to Geneva and should reach the League Council by September 15. Thus, it should be made public early in October. It will be published simultaneously in Tokyo and Nanking.

"We have done what we said we would do in our preliminary report," said Lord Lytton, when questioned as to the nature of the Commission's findings. "I cannot say anything further."

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LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE SHOWS BOYANCY.

New York Affected By Big Profit-Taking Bank.

London, To-day.
Although the activity of Monday when there were further spirited rises in the miscellaneous market was not repeated at the opening of the Stock Exchange yesterday morning, the market continued to be optimistic, and in the afternoon presented a very attractive appearance. The market was very active, and the price of the 2 1/2 per cent Treasury Bonds was 104 1/2, and the price of the 3 per cent Treasury Bonds was 105 1/2.



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Tiffin.
 Eggs in Tomato Cases.
 Macaroni and Sliced Beef.
 Baked Onions.
 Compote of Pears & Baked Custard.
 Dinner.
 Fish Soup.
 Veal Cutlets.
 Creamed Celery.
 Potato Rosettes.
 Pudding St. Cloud.

Macaroni and sliced beef makes a nourishing tiffin dish, the beef being sliced into match-like slivers, simmered in a little gravy, seasoned and served in the centre of macaroni. See that the cook buys the Italian make from one of the Italian stores which sell best imported macaroni of various shapes and sizes, the Chinese variety is not nearly so nourishing nor good, although much cheaper.

When serving baked custards have them put up in individual shapes, one for each person. Nothing is more unappetising than the appearance of a custard or similar dish by the fire two or three people have helped themselves.

Eggs in Tomato Cases.
 Choose rather large tomatoes of equal size, cut a piece off the top of the tomatoes, scoop out the pulp carefully, sprinkle on a little salt and pepper, break an egg into a cup and pour it into the hollow of the tomato, place on a greased baking tin and cook slowly until the egg is set, basting with a little butter. Serve on rounds of buttered toast with a little parsley sprinkled over the top of each.

Fish Soup.
 Boil 1 quart of fish stock, thicken with 1/2 oz. of cornflour mixed smoothly, add 1 oz. of sago, simmer for fifteen minutes, and 1/2 pint milk, 1 teaspoonful parsley and seasoning, serve with small croutons of fried bread.

Pudding St. Cloud.
 Make a custard with 1/2 pint milk and 2 eggs. When thickened pour over 3 ozs. of stale cake crumbs, add sugar and some coffee essence to taste and allow to cool. Dissolve 1/2 oz. gelatine in little water and strain into the mixture. Pour into individual moulds, set aside to cool, turn out and sprinkle with chopped nuts.

WOMEN SCAVENGERS OF MOROCCO.

Filth Of Ancient City Vanishes.
MIRACULOUS WORK.

One of my most vivid impressions of Tetuan, the capital of Spanish Morocco, was that of cleanliness. The visitor may expect to find cleanliness in the modern part of the town, which is the residence of the High Commissioner of the Spanish Zone. But how the native city of tiny cobbled streets and dark arch-covered passages, should be comparatively speaking, free from flies, smells and dirt, seems at first little short of miraculous. (Appropos of the absence of flies, I write of Tetuan in April—they may be more prevalent in the summer!)

The city scavengers, a corps of native women, supply the answer to the riddle. Every evening at dusk they appear, with brooms and large baskets, to clear us the dust of the day sweeping the litter of the markets and stuffing it into panniers carried by donkeys or horses.

However humble the career of street sweeping may appear in other parts of the world, in Morocco the women claim for it the attributes of dignity and romance. In common with the highest ladies in the land, these women scavengers are closely veiled—or rather sheeted.



Grubby white clothes are drawn well up to their eyes, which peer out under the brims of immense circular hats of coarse straw. Round their waists are striped wadded cummerbunds, many wear baggy khaki pantaloons-like skirts, and strong brown leather leggings encase their sturdy legs.

Some have horns slung on cords over their shoulders, and the reason of these I discovered at the expense of being nearly deafened. One day, as I walked down a street in the modern quarter of the town, a piercing blast sounded in my ear.

Looking up a passage-way whence came the sound, I saw a woman scavenger standing at the foot of stairs leading to flats, announcing by means of the horn the approach of the municipal dust cart. When it appeared, the bins had been trundled into the street, and its work quickly and efficiently done, the veiled cortege passed on its way.

Clergymans Compromise

It's all right to be "choosy" in looking for a husband, provided you develop winsome traits and take care of what beauty you are blessed with, according to Dr. Christian F. Reiser, a well-known American pastor.

"A touch of make-up, tastefully applied and with a sense of the requirements of the individual, is far more restful than wan and pale cheeks," says this clergyman. "Every woman is more than justified in enhancing her natural charm."

"The church correctly encourages mating among young people. The girl of marriageable age, then, has the divine right to take the first steps. She will adorn herself with good taste. Cosmetics are to-day like clothes and hair-dressing—a necessity."

Commenting on his ideas of how to become "an expert fisherman in matrimonial waters" a noted cosmopolitan adds her advice.

"I wish Dr. Reiser had consulted me before he offered his crumbs of comfort to the so-called plain girl," she says. "Suppose a girl has a large mouth, a wide forehead, a non-classic nose. Men prefer prettiness. What shall she do?"

"Shall she heighten a good point or two and hide her flaws? Or shall she accent her flaws, as the French woman does?"

"The French take the view that

CHILDREN'S FOOD IMPORTANT.

Especially During Hot Weather.

ADVICE TO PARENTS

Who said that children do not feel the heat?

When we want to know how children feel, the smart thing for us to do is to look back to our own childhood and try to recover the sensations we experienced then.

I for one can remember very well that I spent summer after summer in misery in spite of the fact that I had a wise mother, and my share of vacations out of town.

It was simply a matter of "me." I wasn't built to stand the heat. It went for my nerves and consequently my stomach, and almost as sure as torrid weather arrived I popped into bed with a "brashy" spell, as they used to call such upsets, and twice or thrice I had real gastritis.

So when I hear anyone say, "Children don't feel the heat unless you talk to them about it and make a fuss yourself," I think of those past years.

Suggestion Is Potent.

It is true that mental suggestion is a very powerful thing and that turning the unconscious into the conscious does not help any. One time I rather stressed this in an article and instantly a letter arrived from an indignant gentleman who said that when people were uncomfortable and hot they knew it. Strange as it may seem, very often they do not, particularly children.

If possible it is better not to discuss the terrible heat too much but to take means to make the family comfortable.

Children Need Sun.

Children need sun, but in summer they do not need it between eleven and three, or approximately that. During that time they should play in the shade. On very hot days I would say that during these middle hours they were better in a cool, partially darkened room in these houses. On medium days an all-day sunning won't hurt them, probably, but many things must be considered. In a noisy community or in a city, unless there is a quiet yard or garden, out all day in the roar and dust and clang with the heat exaggerating every sound, small nerves wear out.

Why do children quarrel more then? Because a grimy, moist face and body combined with heat and noise are not conducive to good temper. A certain amount of real quiet is necessary for children to remain calm and tolerant.

Peace and Quiet.

When nerves wear out, watch the stomachs. A very little of summer will do for some children. Just so they get plenty of fresh air and a moderate amount of sun, peace and quiet are often best. It depends on what a child can stand and now he reacts to the heat. Some children thrive under it, of course, but not all, by any means.

If baby is getting cod liver oil daily and a lot of sun too, I should go immediately and ask the doctor if you are to continue the oil. As they have the same effect, the oil is very often omitted during the summer.

Hats in the sun, a rest time through the day, careful plain food, and plenty of baths all help to keep up health.

NATURE PROVIDES BAROMETER.

Hair And Nails Are Sure Guides.

HEALTH NAVIGATION.

By A Woman Doctor.

Our bodies contain many little "barometers" that indicate the state of our health—if we will but understand and heed their warnings.

Two of the most efficient of these are the hair and the nails, for both show signs when the system is beginning to go wrong, besides responding, as it were, to the after-effects of a severe illness. The pity of it is that so few of us mind the warnings of these emphatic danger signals.

Take the hair. As soon as the body gets below par, it loses its lustre and becomes dry or dank, according to its type. It may even fall out to its type. It may even fall out to an alarming degree. It is no good treating these symptoms locally until you have looked for the cause and started to treat that. It may only be that you are in need of a tonic—something to build up the nerves or the general tissues. The state of your health may call for a slight change in diet. You may lack a sufficient amount of fresh air and sunshine. Whatever the cause, your hair has thrown out an S.O.S., which should be answered.

It is not so generally known that the nails vary considerably with the general health, so the warning given by them is often sounded in vain. When nails have become exceptionally brittle or soft, or show prominent ridges, do not delay being overhauled by a doctor, because these seemingly small things may indicate more serious trouble than a run-down system.

After severe illness, people may expect to have trouble with their nails. But they can alleviate their discomfort, in the case of brittle and splitting nails, by rubbing

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Round About The House

(By Housekeeper).

Do not discard a good cotton frock because it is faded. Bleach it a pure white.

Do not put damp fruit in your cake or it will be heavy; instead of washing the dried fruit, clean it with dry flour.

Do not throw away sour cream. Use it in the place of butter when baking.

Do not dry white silk gloves or stockings in the sun; they will turn yellow if you do.

Do not discard an old rubber hot-water bottle because there is a hole in the rubber. Fill it with hot sand next time it is needed and it will give you all the warmth you require.

Do not allow cheese to get mouldy. Wrap it in a cloth, wring out of vinegar and water, and it will keep any length of time.

The juice of half a lemon in a cupful of black coffee, without sugar, will cure a sick headache.

In the kitchen great economy can be effected by having the saucepans fitted with steamers, particularly if a gas-stove is used. Only one ring will then be needed to cook two or more dishes. Steamed food, moreover, is superior in flavour, and much more nutritious. Furthermore, it does not need such constant attention.

The kitchen sink can be kept clean as a china plate by the liberal use of hot soda water and a scrubbing brush. If, black, a little paraffin applied with a brush will remove all stains. It is a good plan to keep a piece of soda on the plate at the top of the sink hole. It will prevent grease from accumulating in the pipes. Three times a week a pailful of boiling water and soda should be poured down the drain. Everything emptied down the sink should first go through the sink basket.

vaseline well into them each night. When nails are inclined to be soft, the only thing is to keep them cut very short until they regain their normal condition as the strength of the system increases.

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ROUND HONG KONG'S CINEMA THEATRES

MAIL REVIEW

"GROCK"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

"Grock" a masterpiece German production, with the world famous Grock in the leading role, supported by an outstanding cast, opened at the Queen's Theatre to-day to crowded performances.

The film is loaded with interesting turns by Grock, the greatest acrobat, musician and entertainer. After thirty years of hard work, Grock decides to retire from the stage, and to make life fuller he marries a young lady, Liane Haid. He is unaware that his wife is more interested in his money than his fame as a clown. Grock buys a chateau. Years pass, and he eventually discovers the mistake he has made in living the life of a nobleman and being married to a young girl.

Drama reaches its heights when Grock recognises some of his old friends in a circus, passing by the chateau. He invites them to dinner, and while there, the real guests, invited by his wife and the Count, arrive. They are shocked, and his wife's reputation is ruined. She leaves him for ever. Later Grock has a reunion with a friend, and commences life all over again as a clown.

The supporting cast includes Betty Bird, Max Van Embden and Harry Hardt.

MAIL REVIEW

"DISORDERLY CONDUCT"—KING'S THEATRE.

Spencer Tracy, who was featured in "Quick Millions," "She Wanted A Millionaire" and "Up The River," enacts his greatest screen characterisation in Fox's all-talking laugh hit "Disorderly Conduct" now showing at the King's Theatre.

Tracy portrays the role of an honest and ambitious motorcycle officer who is unjustly demoted by political influence, and decides to abandon honesty for larceny. Another player who does exceptionally well is Ralph Bellamy, a youth with twelve years theatrical experience.

"Disorderly Conduct" tells of the unique adventure-romance of the Police department. Brendel, the celebrated comedian, gives the film its full measure of fun. Others in the supporting cast include Sally Eilers, Ralph Morgan, Allan Dinehart and Corbellous Keefe. The film was directed by Mr. John W. Considine, Jr., and was adapted from an original story written by William Anthony.

MAIL REVIEW

"DUMB BELLS IN ERMINE"—STAR THEATRE.

"Dumb-bells in Ermine" Warner Brothers latest Vitaphone comedy, featuring Robert Armstrong and Barbara Kent, having its screenings at the Star Theatre to-day, is notable for its laugh-provoking dialogue.

James Gleason is the man responsible for the sparkling dialogue.

MAIL REVIEW

"THE MISLEADING LADY"—MAJESTIC THEATRE.

There is rich entertainment to be found in "The Misleading Lady" starring Claudette Colbert and Edmund Lowe, two stars of great magnitude, now playing at the Majestic Theatre. The story is the romance of an unwilling maid and a twentieth century cave-man.

Lowe is the suitor whose proposals of marriage are rejected by Miss Colbert. Enraged and dauntless, he abducts her, woos her, and, in a succession of piquant episodes, finally succeeds in making her like it.

MAIL REVIEW

"MONTE CARLO"—TAIPEI THEATRE.

Jeanette MacDonald also appeared at the Taipei Theatre, where she is starred in "Monte Carlo" with Jack Buchanan.

The film contains many fine song hits, including "Beyond the Blue Horizon" sung by Miss MacDonald whose voice is heard to advantage. Buchanan, in the role of a rich man who impersonates a barber, is near the top of the list as a good piece of acting.

MAIL REVIEW

"SOOKY"—ORIENTAL THEATRE.

Jackie Cooper and Robert Coogan, of "Skippy" fame, are together again in Paramount's "Sooky" now showing at the Oriental Theatre—a film that must not be missed by children as well as adults.

The two juveniles act wonderfully well, but their childish sorrows are perhaps a little over-emphasized. There are many tearful scenes, but out of them all comes laughter, with their pranks. Irene Dunne and Helen Jerome Eddy appear in the supporting adult cast.

The film is a sequel to "Skippy."

MAIL REVIEW

"THE VAGABOND KING"—GARDEN THEATRE.

Denis King's masterful singing voice is heard to advantage in this technicolour production "The Vagabond King" which is having a return release at the Garden Theatre.

Jeanette MacDonald, in the leading feminine role, renders excellent support both by her acting and singing. King is seen in the role of a prince among Vagabonds. Lavish settings add much to the splendour of the film.

OFFICIAL SOURCES.

"WHEN A FELLER NEEDS A FRIEND"—QUEEN'S THEATRE.

Perhaps few picture-goers who are accustomed to seeing Charles "Chic" Sale on the screen in deft portrayals of wrinkled grey-bearded old men have any idea that the versatile Mr. Sale is in reality an extremely young chap, without a line in his face.

In "When a Feller Needs a Friend," coming to the Queen's Theatre shortly, "Chic" Sale and Jackie Cooper have co-starring parts and the former appears as Jackie's elderly Uncle Jonas, who is bent on overcoming the youngster's fear of "mixing in" with other boys.

"When a Feller Needs a Friend" is an adaptation of the late William Johnston's novel, "Limpy," the story of a crippled boy who becomes a "regular feller" in spite of his physical handicap.

Harry Pollard directed the new film, and the cast includes Ralph Graves and Dorothy Peterson as Jackie's parents, Andy Shuford, Helen Parrish, Donald Haines, Gus Leonard and Oscar Apfel.

OFFICIAL SOURCES.

"WORKING GIRLS"—KING'S THEATRE.

A difficult but interesting assignment was given Dorothy Arzner, Hollywood's only woman director, in the production of Paramount's "Working Girls," coming to the King's Theatre on Thursday.

Her task was to make an interesting picture of the lives and romances of the great army of young women living "on their own" in New York city. At the very start her scenes and settings had to truthfully represent living conditions, without omitting any of the dramatic elements.

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To-day—Queen's Theatre;

"Grock" Theatre;

To-day—Central Theatre;

"Two Swords" Theatre;

To-day—Majestic Theatre;

"The Misleading Lady" Theatre;

To-day—Star Theatre;

"Dumb-bells" Theatre;

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NUDISTS TRAMP FOR MILES TO BATHE.

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I was informed that there was a secret path, but owing to its inaccessibility, it was only to be used in case of necessity. If it is any more inaccessible than the path we followed I do not doubt the wisdom of the rule.

Having duly arrived at the "stronghold," albeit on the wrong side of the river, I prepared to embrace the principles and philosophy of Neckkultur, not without some trepidation, for two small boys in the offing might have had light-fingered tendencies towards my clothes. I am not such a great supporter of the movement as to wish to entrain to Kowloon in the "altogether."

I will pass lightly over the next 30 minutes. Thorns in my feet and other parts of my anatomy took away any pleasure that might have accrued from nudism.

The Bolder Spirits.

By enquiry I discovered that the next available train left at 5.30. I took it. The remainder of the party consisting of five Chinese youths, a Portuguese youth, and the intrepid leader stayed behind for a further two hours, the better to enjoy the sun which appeared on two separate occasions during the afternoon.

When I left, I noticed that the two small boys had also gone, probably to spread the glad news to the neighbouring villages, or perhaps disappointed that nothing untoward happened. Two women grass-cutters, who were hovering in the offing in the early stages of the play, also had left. They were not missed.

A few interested spectators viewed the scene from a neighbouring hill, but none attempted to join the party. Another small boy, looking after his buffalo grazed amazed at us, but drew reluctantly away. Although he was only wearing a hat, he probably felt himself over-dressed.

Not even the depression will make me shed all my clothes again, even if the official guardians of decorum would countenance such an impulse.

MR. W. S. FLEMING IS DEAD IN NORTH.

Shanghai Lawyer's Sudden Passing.

Mr. W. S. Fleming, aged 55, prominent Shanghai lawyer, was found dead in his bed on Friday. Heart failure was the cause.

Mr. Fleming, who was the senior member of the firm of Messrs. Fleming, Franklin and Allan, was born in California on April 24, 1877. At the age of 21 he was admitted to the bar in California, in 1900 going to the Hawaiian Islands where he practised for two years. He then served as Deputy Attorney-General of the Territory of Hawaii from 1902 to 1907. In 1907 he came to Shanghai and commenced a practice which lasted 25 years.

Chinese Attack On Shenyang Fails

Volunteers' Furious Charge Broken

LACKED REINFORCEMENTS

Peiping, Sept. 2. Details of the furious attack on Shenyang (Mukden) by the Chinese Volunteers early on the morning of August 29 are now available for the first time.

The Volunteers assailing the city were composed of 1,500 men under Tien Hsiao-Hao, Wang Tien-pai and Li Wen-hua, all in their green uniforms. Equipped with hand grenades, trench mortars and big swords, in addition to their ordinary rifles, the Volunteers stormed the city from three directions.

Nanpienmen (South Gate) was the target of attack by 500 Volunteers under Tien Hsiao-Hao. After hand-to-hand fighting, they destroyed three Japanese tanks and succeeded in entering the city. Street fighting followed in the main streets of the commercial area, during which the Japanese soldiers and police were driven back. Some of the Manchukuo police joined the Volunteers and fired at the Japanese rear.

Another band of 500 led by Wang Tien-pai attacked the Tapedienmen (Great Northern Gate) with hand grenades and trench mortars. Hsiao-tungmen (Small

East Gate) was assailed by 500 Volunteers under Li Wen-hua. Simultaneously 500 plainclothes men hidden in the city set fire to important buildings.

Japanese Pursuit. The Volunteers retreated from Shenyang city in the afternoon to various points in the vicinity of Shenyang. Pursued by the Japanese, a severe encounter took place at Tsienchinchai.

The Japanese military issued orders to round up the plainclothes volunteers in the walled city. House-to-house searches were made and a number of men were killed.

It is reported that 27 Japanese planes were destroyed by fire. The arsenal suffered heavily.

A radio message deploring their failure to capture the city was issued by the Volunteers from eastern Liaoning yesterday. They point out that their failure was due to lack of reinforcements. After reorganisation at Tsienchinchai and Hun Ho they plan another attack.

The Japanese military have summoned reinforcements from Changchun and Tieling to strengthen the city's defences.—Kuo Min.

GERMANY'S ARMAMENT ULTIMATUM.

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period for military service, the structure of the regular army units and the formation of a special militia.

French Objection.

This last phase of the German demands is bound to bring a protest from France.

It is likely, too, that Paris will take the attitude that Germany, herself under a virtual dictatorship, is attempting to dictate to Europe, and in that event a stiffening of the already antagonistic French attitude is more than likely.

Outcry in France.

When the German note was first received in Paris, there was not suspicion that its terms were in the form of an ultimatum, and even then the outcry was loud, the press was apprehensive and the public excited. M. Herriot, Premier of France, urged caution and appealed to Great Britain for support. France, he pointed out, could not act alone in a matter of such vital consequence. All Versailles Treaty signatories would have to be consulted in the matter, he said.

The German desire for military reorganisation within her own borders is apparently shared by all parties of the Reichstag. In this policy alone is there unanimity. On other matters, Chancellor von Papen's party, Socialists, Communists and Nazis are almost invariably diametrically opposed.—Reuter.

LORD LYTTON AND DR. WELLINGTON KOO ARRIVED IN COLONY.

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Council, which would sit immediately after the ordinary session. The ordinary session, which usually assembled on or about September 1, was not sitting until September 25. It would last for about three weeks, and the discussion of the Commission's report would take place at its conclusion. The printing and publishing of the report would take place at Geneva, he said.

"They do that sort of thing very quickly there," smiled Lord Lytton. Continuing he said that translations would be published simultaneously in Nanking and Tokyo. Copies had been left behind, for translation. "They must do their own translation. We cannot be responsible for that," he said. The document is some 10,000 words in length.

Travelled Many Miles. Lord Lytton said he had no idea of the distance the Commission had travelled since the mission started, but it was estimated they had covered 10,000 miles in China alone.

Seen by a China Mail reporter on the deck of the Gange, as the ship steamed through Kowloon Bay from Lyemun Pass, Lord Lytton said: "I think it is a most thrilling sight, steaming into your beautiful harbour, and I am exceedingly pleased to have had the opportunity of seeing it. It is my first visit."

The head of the Commission looked very well, and stated that he felt quite recovered from his recent illness. He had been confined to bed for one month, he admitted.

He said he had mapped out no plans for his stay in Hong Kong beyond the fact that he was paying a visit to Government House. Met At Ship.

Lord Lytton sails on the Gange at 6 p.m. this evening for Venice, to visit his daughter, and from there he will proceed direct to London.

"I shall not attend the League Conference unless I receive instructions directing me to do so," he said.

He was met on his ship by Captain F. W. Webb, A.D.C. and Captain D. E. M. Cameron, A.D.C., and left for Hong Kong on the launch "Britannia."

Travelling with Lord Lytton are General and Mrs. McCoy, Count Aldrovandi, Mr. von Koser, (Secretary), Hans Biddle, and Lord W. W. Allen, (Secretary, London).

SWIMMER KILLED IN POLO GAME.

Corporal Coleman's Tragic Death.

PREVIOUS INJURY.

In an inter-Company water polo game played in the European Y.M.C.A. bath last night, Corporal Thomas Coleman, of the South Wales Borderers, was fatally injured as the result of an accidental blow.

The bath at the time, was under the control of the Army authorities. Cpl. Coleman was playing in the water polo match between "A" and "B" Companies of the South Wales Borderers. He was beside the ball and two other players were swimming towards it, when, after a melee, Coleman was seen suddenly to relax and sink slowly.

Sergeant Bradley, standing on the side of the bath, immediately dived in and brought Coleman to the surface. Coleman was unconscious, and blood streamed from his mouth. Although artificial respiration was applied continuously, he failed to regain consciousness. He was taken to the Kowloon Indian Military Hospital where he passed away at 6 p.m. Death was due to a fractured skull.

Deceased, who was only 25, had served with the S.W.B. for seven years, and was an all-round sportsman. He was considered a likely winner in the Military harbour race to-day.

He was going home this season to be put on the Reserve. While in Palestine a few years ago, he was severely injured whilst crossing a railway line in a lorry.

A Court of Enquiry will be held on the death of Corporal Coleman. The funeral, previously arranged to take place to-day, has been postponed, and will take place to-morrow morning, with full honours, at 11 o'clock.

SOVIET SYSTEM ASSAILED.

"Too Dirty To Touch."

London, August 1. Lord Lloyd, speaking at Swindon, Wiltshire, on Saturday, on Soviet Russia, said that some people told him that it was necessary to trade with Russia. In his opinion there were some things that were too dirty to touch, and the Soviet system was one of them. Referring to International conferences, Lord Lloyd said that there could be too many. Anyone with even the smallest sense of perspective must be aware of the dangers through which we had passed and the dangers that were yet to come.

We had not succeeded in avoiding a world war but we could say that this country had come through with credit and honour unstained.

COMMUNIST ARE EXECUTED.

Taiwan, Sept. 1. Fourteen of the 27 Communists arrested at Tsingchow last Sunday when their attempt to create an uprising in one of the suburban towns was thwarted by the local military units, were executed here yesterday after having been found guilty by court-martial. The remaining 13 are still on trial.

WHEN MARRY mix-up! Over-night husband and his wife!

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RADIO

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME

The following programme will be broadcast to-day from the Hong Kong Broadcasting Station, K.F.W. on a wavelength of 855 metres (848 K.C.'s):—

5-7 p.m.—Chinese Programme.
6-6.20 p.m.—Children's Concert.
7-11.30 p.m.—European Programme of Victor and H.M.V. Records.
7-7.30 p.m.—Operatic.

Song—
Mignon—'I'm Fair Titania' (Thomas).
Tales of Hoffman—Doll Song (Offenbach).
Marion Talley (Soprano) (1913).

Cello Solo—
Tannhauser—The Evening Star (Wagner).
Die Meistersinger—Prize Song (Wagner-Wilhelm).
Pablo Casals (1920).

Song—
Boris Godounow—Farewell of Boris (Moussorgsky).
Boris Godounow—Death of Boris (Moussorgsky).
Feodor Chaliapin (Bass) (1924).

Vocal Duet—
Rigoletto—Weep, My Child (Verdi).
Madame Amelita Galli-Curci and Giuseppe De Luca (1901).

8 p.m.—Local Time & Weather Report.
7.30-8.08 p.m.—Band and Orchestral Music.
Espana Rhapsodie (Chabrier).
Detroit Symphony Orchestra (1937).

Pagoda of Flowers (Woodford-Finden).
Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards (1932).

Rosamunde—Ballet Music (Schubert).
Moment Musical (Schubert).
Philadelphia Symphony Orch. (1912).

To a Wild Rose (MacDowell-Stock).
To a Water-Lily (MacDowell-Stock).
Chicago Symphony Orchestra (1932).

A Perfect Day (Bond).
Until (Sanderson).
Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards (1937).

8.08-8.25 p.m.—Vocal Gems.
The Three Musketeers (Grey, Friml & Woodhouse).
Light Opera Co. (C1890).

Duchess of Dantzig (Caryl).
Light Opera Co. (C2282).

Violin Solo—
Vocalise (Rachmaninoff-Press).
Caprice in E Flat Major (Wieniawski-Kreisler).
Mischa Elman (1934).

Song—
By the Waters of Minnetonka (Liedtner).
Trees (Kilmer-Rasbach).
Ernestine Schumann-Heink (Contralto) (1198).

Piano Solo—
Turkish March (Beethoven).
Brooklet (Schubert-Rachmaninoff).
Sergei Rachmaninoff (1196).

Song—
Tavern Song (Watson-Fisher).
The Green-Eyed Dragon (Newman-Chapin).
Reinold Weirath (Baritone) (1284).

Guitar Solo—
Sonatina in A Major (Torroba).
Courante (Bach).
Andres Segovia (1298).

Song—
The Wren (Rogier-Benedict).
When I Was Seventeen (Liljeborn).
Marion Talley (Soprano) (1156).

Spring Bass Solo—
Minuet in G (Beethoven).
Valse Minuterie (Koussevitzky).
Serge Koussevitzky (1476).

Song—
The First Caress (De Crescenzo).
Sombre Forest (arr. Lully).
Enrico Caruso (Tenor) (1487).

Piano Solo—
The Prophet Bird (Schumann).
By the Brookside (Stojowski).
Ignace Jan Paderewski (1426).

8.27-11.30 p.m.—Variety.
Humorous Song—
"What Archibald Says, Goes"
Song—
Falling in Love Again.
Gracie Fields (1929).

Fox Trot—
I Still Remember.
I Never Dreamed (You'd Fall in Love With Me).
Eddy Waller & His Command.
Hunt-Yankas (2251).

Chorus—
Songs of Good Cheer.
Light Opera Male Chorus (C2151).

Vocal Duet—
I've Found a Whole World in You.
Dainty Little Maiden.
Winnie Marlita and Derek Oldham (1915).

Orchestral—
She's Funny That Way.
Hold Everything—Selection.
New Mexican Orchestra (C1688).

Vocal Gems—
Follow Me.
Light Opera Co. (C2097).

Orchestral—
The Knight's Song.
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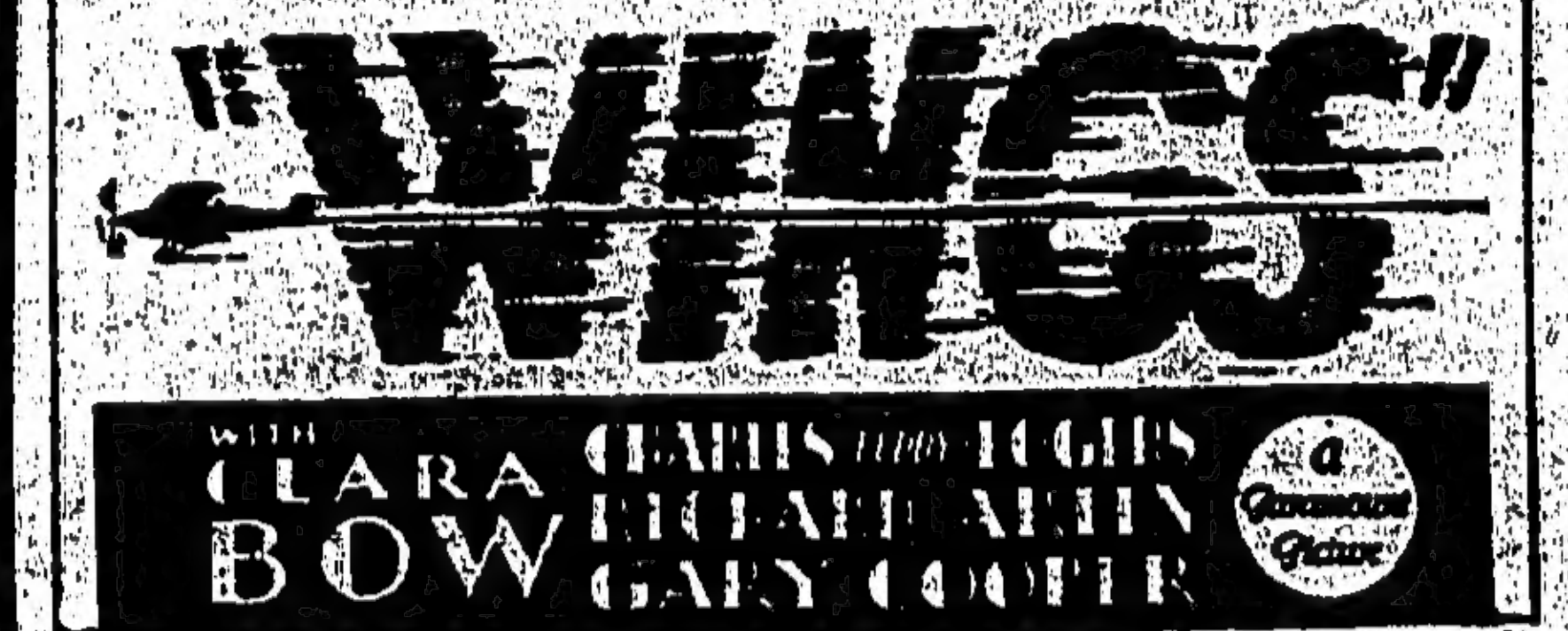
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Choosing a spot especially adapted for the giving of a swimming gala, the second annual gala festival of the Ministering Children's League, held yesterday at Repulse Bay, was a huge success. Practically every public agency in Hong Kong, was recruited to help make the "affair" a success. Policemen, soldiers, almost 50 men from the Tamar, Phoenix and Parthian, 18 Sea Scouts and various individuals all donated their services.

The beach and marshes were beautifully decorated with strips of coloured bunting. King Neptune's throne was a rhapsody in colour itself. Booths, placed at advantageous spots along the shore, lent a carnival atmosphere to the occasion.

A wishing well, chutes, slides, a fish pond and an aerial railway provided the hundreds of children present with amusement.

The swimming races were run off with clock like precision. At no time did the party seem to lag. Beautiful pyjama ensembles that would do credit to a Paris designer, were seen on the shore in preparation for the parade.

As a novel feature of the programme, King Neptune made an appearance. In an impressive ceremony, he came ashore, escorted by his "maids of honour" and aides. He was received by His Excellency The Officer Administering the Government, Mr. W. T. Southern. His Excellency was then conducted to the miniature bath constructed on the beach where those who had not gone through the ritual of crossing the line were made to do so, much to the audience's amusement.

Over 1,000 people were in attendance and Mrs. T. H. King, chairwoman of the gala committee, stated that the festival was a decided success. Many charities under the League's wing, will benefit greatly from the gala.

A buffet tea was served after the swimming races were completed.

The results of the various events were as follows:

The official guests included H. E. the Officer Administering the Government and Mrs. Southern, attended by Capt. F. Webb, A.D.C., Mr. and Mrs. R. H. Kotevill, Mrs. E. R. Hallifax, Mr. D. T. Chan, Mr. Tang Shu-kin, Sir Henry and Lady Pollock and Mr. J. R. Wood, president of the M.C.L.

The prizes were presented by Mrs. Southern, who also presented Commander Morris, Beachmaster, with a souvenir of the day's effort. A vote of thanks to Mr. and Mrs. Southern was proposed by Mrs. Grimble who also called for cheers. The arrangements were carried out by a committee of which Mrs. T. H. King was chairwoman, Mrs. R. M. Henderson, secretary, and Mrs. H. R. Forsyth sub-secretary. The band of the 1st Batt. South Wales Borderers (by kind permission of Lt. Col. G. T. Raikes, D.S.O.) was in attendance and rendered selections during the afternoon.

RESULTS.

- 30 Yards Boy's race. No entrants.
- 30 Yards, Girls age 13-15.
 - Gama Fleetwood.
 - Joan Shoemith.
 - Edith Brewin.
- Raft to shore. Boys 15 or over.
 - Herbert Chan.
 - Shek Kam-pui.
 - Ching Ting-to.
- Raft to shore. Girls 16 or over.
 - Pamela Scott Harston.
 - Mak Lee-kuen.
 - Gama Fleetwood.
- 30 Yards, Boys age 10 to 12.
 - Harry Clark.
 - Desmond Wilson.
 - Richard Carbinell.
- 30 Yards, Girls age 10 to 12.
 - Margaret Williams.
 - Myra Robinson.
 - Charlotte Sanger.
- 25 Yards, Boys, age 7 to 9.
 - Douglas Burns.
 - Tom Weller.
 - William Webb.
- 25 Yards, Girls, aged 7 to 9.
 - Lee Shan-ho.
 - Erica Drana.
 - Dorothy Watson.
- 15 Yards, Boys and Girls under 7.
 - Leonard Clark.
 - Fay Bell.
 - Barbara Hazel.

Major Doolittle Breaks Land Plane Record

Flies At Over 300 m.p.h. In American National Air Races

RETURN FLIGHT SLOWER

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 1.

The famous American aviator, Major Doolittle, flying in the national air races here, completed one lap, down-wind, at a speed of 302.16 miles an hour, a record for a land plane. This, however, is still far below the record officially established by a seaplane, which is 408.283 miles an hour, flown by Flight-Lieut. Stainforth in a Schneider Trophy plane on September 13, 1931.

Major Doolittle's flight just failed to attain the record-breaking speed for the course, his return flight over the lap being much slower and his average speed falling by the merest fraction to equal the record for the course.

Yesterday, Major Doolittle established an unofficial world's speed record for land planes by accomplishing 293.193 miles an hour.

CRICKET.

AMES SECURES 8TH CENTURY.

Rain Leaves Wickets In Trickv Condition.

AUSTRALIAN TOURISTS OUT FOR 185.

Verity 5 For 57.

London, To-day.

H. D. G. Leveson-Gower's XI. drew with the Australian touring eleven at Scarborough yesterday. Bowes, the Yorkshire fast bowler, helping to dismiss the team for 185. At Folkestone Leslie Ames, the All-England stumper knocked up 105 not out to give an England XI victory over All-India by an innings and 40 runs.

Low scoring was the feature of the match at Scarborough. Verity (5 for 59) dismissing Leveson-Gower's XI. for 200 runs. The wicket was, however, in a treacherous condition and the England batsmen failed miserably before Bowes (4 for 56) and were eventually dismissed for 185.

Leveson-Gower's XI. batted again and scored 132 runs for the loss of 3 wickets to set their opponents 148 for victory. The touring eleven went for the runs, but when stumps were drawn they were still 57 runs in arrears with 6 wickets in hand.

Brilliant batting by Leslie Ames, who scored his eighth century of the season, enabled an England XI. to assume a commanding position on a tricky wicket at Folkestone. The Kent wicket-keeper contributed 105 not out to the total of 282 for 5 declared.

The Indians, who were playing in the last first-class of their strenuous tour, were dismissed for 185 and 77.—Reuter.

(Continued from previous Column.)

- 10 Yards, Boys and Girls under 7 with float.
 - Dorothy Sleep.
 - Jean Hole.
 - Pamela Green.
- Paddling on boards. Boys and Girls age 10 to 13.
 - Norman Lee.
 - Desmond Wilson.
 - Brandon W. son.
- Paddling on boards. Boys and Girls age 14 to 18.
 - Chartman and Hamar.
 - Stone and Bittgen.
- Pyjama parade. Girls under 15.
 - Pauline Strange and Beattie Wadmore.
 - Pauline and Pearl Buchanan.
 - Marie and Mimi da Roza.
- Consolation prizes awarded to Maria and Louise da Silva and Margaret Henderson.
- Men's relay race. Won by H.Kong Sea Scouts.
- Bucket and Trough. Won by Jack Odell (Boys).
- 25 Yards, Boys (Boys).
- 25 Yards, Girls (Boys).
- 25 Yards, Boys (Boys).
- 25 Yards, Girls (Boys).

BASEBALL.

INDIANS WIN TWICE OVER BROWNS.

Averill and Myatt Hit Home Runs.

New York, To-day.

There was no play in the National Baseball League yesterday and only the double-header between the St. Louis Browns and the Cleveland Indians featured the American League.

In the first game the Indians won by 4 to 3 after out-hitting their opponents by 11 to 10 and having 2 errors chalked up as against 1. In the second game the Indians' superiority was even more marked. Connolly pitched for the Browns, but could not hold Earl Averill and Myatt, who banged out homers for a win by 6 to nil. The Indians out-hit their rivals by 13 to 8.—Reuter's American Service.

GROVES WINS AT K.G.C.

W. M. Groves (all square) won the Bogey pool of the Kowloon Golf Club played at Kowloon City over the holidays. There were 28 entries.

China Mail Sports Diary.

TO-DAY.

HOCKEY—Trial Match (Soc-kun-poo), 5.15 p.m.
LAWN TENNIS—Kowloon C.C. Tournaments.

TO-MORROW.

LAWN BOWLS—Open Championship Final—L. A. Gutierrez v. H. Nish (Kowloon C.C. green), 5 p.m.
LAWN TENNIS—Kowloon C.C. Tournaments.

FRIDAY.

LAWN TENNIS—Kowloon C.C. Tournaments.

SATURDAY.

LAWN BOWLS—Senior Division—Kowloon Docks R.C. v. Civil Service C.C., Craigengower C.C. v. Club de Recreio, Police R.C. v. Kowloon C.C., Tai-koo R.C. v. Kowloon B.G.C., Junior Division—Club de Recreio v. Craigengower C.C., Civil Service C.C. v. Hong Kong Electric R.C., Kowloon C.C. v. Yacht Club, Kowloon B.G.C. v. Tai-koo R.C.

SUNDAY.

LAWN TENNIS—Closing Day of Kowloon C.C. Tournament.

Jardine's Bismarckian Power Of Will

England's Captain Of Sterling Worth

A CHARACTER SKETCH

HAMMOND MAY PLAY BIG PART IN FIGHT FOR ASHES.

It is the usual fate of a cricket Selection Committee to suffer much cursing "after the event." But this time the England team for Australia has been gathered together in a way that has won the approval of nearly every lover of the game in the country, not excluding quite small schoolboys and their sisters.

If England lose the rubber next winter—and there is at present no obvious reason why they should—none of us will be free to make a scapegoat of anybody at Lord's. The team is bound to have its defects of course; but they are those of county cricket at large and beyond remedy at the present time.

For some reason or other, cricket has ceased to breed great all-round players of the stamp of George Hirst, Rhodes, Braund, Arnold, Lohmann, Woolley, and F. S. Jackson. The difficulty nowadays is to pick an England eleven; of which the batsmen are able to bowl, and the bowlers able to bat.

Yet it is possible that Jardine's side will avoid this sort of unbalancing specialisation much more than most England elevens of recent years; F. R. Brown, Robins, Larwood, and Voce will not constitute a "kitchen," to use the rude but expressive term of the incomparable S. M. J. Woods—heaven rest his humorous spirit. The English "tail" should be stronger, and straighter of bat than Australia's; it will at any rate be reliable enough to "carry" our greatest wicket-keeper, who is Duckworth. Jardine need not take the risk of playing Ames as a stumper batsman; Ames may well win his place in the team for batsmanship alone. He plays forward beautifully, head down and over the ball; it is hard not to get runs in Australia if a cricketer observes the old-fashioned forward method. None but a genius like "Dulleep" or "Ranji" can afford to be late with his strokes on a very fast earth.

A PRUDENT BEGINNING.

The Selection Committee began wisely—and in the face of the popular newspapers—by making D. R. Jardine the captain. Intrigue still tries hard to render Jardine's difficult office as intolerable as may be. Absurd stories are going around, receiving fanciful emendations from mouth to mouth, asking us to believe that Jardine is a combination of Prussian junker and schoolmaster Dr. Switchem with his cane. The backbiters, indeed, are really overdoing the job; their cock-and-bull stories about Jardine are lending to him a quite legendary largeness of personality, a Bismarckian power of will. The simple truth is that in Jardine the England eleven once again possesses an uncompromising disciplinarian, one whose passion for cricket insists that the game is worth every ounce of a man's energy, every particle of his consciousness. I could not help noticing in the Gentlemen v. Players match at Lord's the other week how the Gentlemen's fielding became slack on the third afternoon while Jardine was in the pavilion for official purposes, writes Neville Cardus in the Observer. There was much conversation in the slips, all of it no doubt very amusing. But the moment Jardine returned to the field all signs of flippancy departed. Even in the last hour of a match doomed to a barren draw, you will see Jardine's face set seriously; you will see him chasing a ball as though for dear life. I would not wish to have every cricketer as solemn and unyielding as Jardine always is—that is, I would not wish to have them like that in average county matches. But if the Australians are to be tackled, give me a captain who smiles only when the enemy are being rubbed in the dust.

OF SET PURPOSE.

For once in a while we are about to see an England eleven in Australia which will give nothing away through mistaken notions of civility. This time, the Australians will not be at liberty to ask for a new ball whenever they fancy one—and have it presented to them on a tray, so to say. The Australians will "get no change" out of Jardine. And they will be the first to appreciate the rigour of the man. It is all very well, and sweet to talk about "Bonds of Empire" and the "Public-school spirit" off the field at dinners given over to mutual approval; on such occasions, the Australians may be trusted to say "Hear, hear—good for you, Mister Jardine." On the field, though, the Australians will thank you to treat their every movement suspiciously.

D. R. Jardine will do them the compliment of never taking his eyes off them. Mr. F. F. Warner's courteousness, and the unsentimental realism of our captain, ought to achieve a nice political blend; the sugar and the pill. Only one mistake am I afraid Jardine will make; he will see to it that none of his batsmen deliberately withholds his true scoring strokes. This is a man who is wearing a "Bonds of Empire" badge; somebody is prepared to fight to the death for the sake of the badge.

The England team next winter will possess technical qualities equal to those at Woodville's disposal; our only danger is a wrong-headed plan of campaign. Every thing depends on whether D. R. Jardine will firmly command his batsmen to keep the score low; whether he will insist that the bowlers shall bowl for respect, and not for the sake of the score.

FUI SHING SCORE TEN TIMES.

Electric Reply Once To Rivals' Big Score.

CHINESE SUMMER FOOTBALL

The Fui Shing Football Club, at one time favourites for the Chinese Summer Football Tournament, gained an overwhelming victory over the Electric Company at Caroline Hill yesterday. The Fui Shing scored no fewer than ten times to their opponent's once.

This year nine teams entered for the Tournament which is being played for Dr. Wu's Cup, the following being the full results to date:—

Soong Ching	6	Electric Co.	0
Sam Kwong	4	Kwok Wah	0
Ching Ning	3	Electric Co.	0
Ching Wu	3	Soong Ching	2
Fui Shing	5	H.K. Hotel	0
Mui Dai	4	Sam Kwong	1
Soong Ching	3	Kwok Wah	1
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JACK BEATS OHL IN JUNIOR TOURNEY

Six Games Decided In K.C.C. Championship.

The following were the results of yesterday's matches in the Kowloon Cricket Club Tennis Tournament: Junior Championship.

L. Jack beat R. Ohl 3-6, 6-4, 6-3, 6-1.

Handicap Doubles.

H. O. Huber and K. Haase (+3/6) beat S. A. Gray and G. C. Burnett (-30), 6-3, 1-6, 8-8.

G. A. White and R. S. Capell (scr.) beat F. E. Skinner and A. Philippen (+3/8) w.o.

Mixed Doubles.

E. C. Fincher and Miss O. Dalziel (-30.3) beat Mr. and Mrs. Hamby (-15) 6-2, 6-4.

G. A. White and Miss Griffiths (-15.3) beat A. Philippen and Miss M. Woolley (scr.) 6-1, 6-1.

A. E. P. Guest and Mrs. McCaw (-30.3) beat D. S. Green and Mrs. R. White (-15) 6-3, 6-4.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

Junior Championship (semi-finals).

L. Jack v. G. A. White.
P. O. Dunne v. N. A. E. Mackay.

Handicap Singles "A".

E. C. Fincher v. W. C. Hung.
Ladies' Championship (semi-finals).

Mrs. McCaw v. Mrs. McTavish.
Handicap Singles "B" (semi-finals).

C. Kengelbacker v. H. O. Huber.
H. Lubensky v. R. S. Capell.

THE WAY TO WIN.

Hammond certainly must be told to exploit his own incomparable offensive methods. This is a crucial point; I truly believe the rubber depends on it. Hammond has the genius to knock the stuffing out of Grimmett, Ironmonger, and the rest. Moreover, he is a sounder batsman when he is playing his natural game than he is when staying behind; his crease letting the ball pitch any length of the bowler's choosing. The side which wins in Australia is the one which hits the "kiss ball" off the new ball whenever they fancy one—and have it presented to them on a tray, so to say.

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CURRENT SPORTING GOSSIP

Larger Stumps For Local Cricket

Satisfactory Report At League Meeting

A. H. MADAR TAKES OVER SECRETARIAL POST FROM W. C. HUNG.

TWENTY CLUB TEAMS

The use of larger stumps was favoured at the 26th annual general meeting of the Hong Kong Cricket League, which was held in the Sanitary Board room yesterday afternoon.

Mr. H. R. B. Hancock, who presided, mentioned that the Hong Kong Cricket Club are using the larger stumps this season, and he thought it would be as well to introduce them to the League.

Mr. A. C. Beck remarked that the larger stump was in use at Home and elsewhere.

Mr. A. H. Madar queried whether they were in stock in Hong Kong yet, to which Mr. J. C. Lyal replied that they were to be purchased.

The statement of accounts showed a balance of \$1,024.85, which Mr. Hancock considered very satisfactory. He proposed that sums of \$100 each be allocated to the Diocesan Boys' School and the St. Joseph's College for the purchase of cricket gear. The output was very expensive, and both institutions were "rather hard-up."

This proposal met with unanimous approval.

FOR CAPTAINS TO DECIDE.

Last season's arrangement as to the drawing of stumps, ten minutes before scheduled time, was agreed to by the meeting.

Capt. O. M. Wales raised the question of a player playing twice for the first league team of a Club and desiring to play in the second division also.

Mr. Hancock replied that the subject had been discussed many times, and it had been decided that the captains should use their discretion.

SECRETARY RESIGNS.

Mr. Hancock informed the meeting that Mr. W. C. Hung, Hon. Secretary and Treasurer, who was absent owing to illness, wished to tender his resignation, and that Mr. A. H. Madar had kindly offered himself for the post. A hearty vote of thanks was accorded Mr. Hung.

The following officers were elected for the ensuing season:

President—Mr. H. R. B. Hancock.

Vice-President—Mr. G. R. Sayer.

Hon. Secretary and Treasurer—Mr. A. H. Madar.

ARTILLERY IN LEAGUE II.

Eight teams have entered the First Division, the Army taking the place of the Royal Artillery, who have decided to enter the Second Division. The entries are as follows:—Indian R.C. Craigengower C.C., Kowloon C.C., University, Hong Kong C.C., Army, Royal Navy, and Civil Service C.C.

The following are the entries for the Second Division:—Indian R.C., Kowloon C.C., Club de Recreo, Craigengower, Police R.C., R.E. and Signals, University, R.A.B.C., Hong Kong C.C., Civil Service C.C., Royal Navy and Royal Artillery. The South Wales Borderers have withdrawn owing to their impending departure.

MISS ROBINSON WINS.

The Medal Pool, played for at Deep Water Bay during July and August, was won by Miss C. H. Robinson with a score of 78-9-59. There were 42 cards taken out.

Mr. Lissaman, qualified for the Captain's Cup at Happy Valley in August. Score: 112-55-73.

A TOMSTONE COMPETITION.

A Tomstone Competition will be held at Deep Water Bay on Tuesday, September 13th, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. The prize is a silver cup.

English Football League Tables

RESULTS ON PAGE 1.

SECOND DIVISION.

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Bradford C.	3	3	0	0	6
Oldham	4	3	1	0	6
Plymouth	4	3	1	0	6
Port Vale	4	2	1	1	5
Millwall	4	2	1	1	5
Stoke C.	4	2	1	1	5
Burnley	4	2	1	1	5
Southampton	4	2	1	1	5
Bury	3	2	1	0	4
Notts F.	4	1	1	2	4
Swansea	4	1	1	2	4
Bradford	4	2	2	0	4
Fulham	3	1	1	1	3
Grimby	4	1	2	1	3
Lincoln	4	1	2	1	3
Tottenham	4	1	2	1	3
Manchester U.	3	1	2	0	2
Notts C.	3	0	1	2	2
Chesham	3	0	1	2	2
Preston	4	1	3	0	2
West Ham	3	0	2	1	1
Charlton	3	0	3	0	0

THIRD DIVISION (NORTH).

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Accrington	4	3	0	1	7
Crews	4	3	1	0	6
Stockport	4	2	0	2	6
Southport	4	2	0	2	6
Gateshead	3	2	0	1	5
Carlisle	4	2	1	1	5
Halifax	3	2	1	0	4
Barnsley	4	2	2	0	4
Walsall	4	2	2	0	4
Mansfield	4	1	1	2	4
Barrow	4	1	1	2	4
Bochdale	4	1	1	2	4
Hartlepool	3	1	1	1	3
Hull	3	1	1	1	3
Chester	4	1	2	1	3
Doncaster	4	1	2	1	3
New Brighton	4	1	2	1	3
Tranmere	4	1	2	1	3
Wrexham	3	1	2	0	2
Rotherham	4	1	2	0	2
York	4	0	3	1	1
Darlington	3	0	3	0	0

R.A.F.C. WIN.

The Royal Army Pay Corps defeated "A" Company, South Wales Borderers, by 5 sets to 4 in the Hong Kong Army Tennis League at Sookunpoo yesterday.

S.Q.M.S. Matthews and S.Q.M.S. Oldfield, by winning all their three sets, gave the R.A.F.C. their victory.

RIFLE SHOOTING.

The 34th monthly shoot for members of the Hong Kong Rifle Club will take place at Kowloon Tong on Saturday and Sunday at 2.30 p.m. and 10 a.m. respectively.

The practice will be at the 200 and 300 yard ranges, and the target will be the yellow one.

WITCHAM QUALIFIER.

On September 13th, a competition will be held at the Happy Valley Race Course for the Witcham Qualifier.

Y.M.C.A. SWIMMING.

Gala To Be Held To-night.

Another of the popular night swimming galas is scheduled to take place at the European Y.M.C.A. to-night.

It will consist of the usual swimming events and will feature a ladies race.

A good crowd is expected to turn out for the event which holds much interest for Hong Kong aquatic enthusiasts.

Several championship events, including the 50 yds., 100 yds., diving and plunge events, will be held.

BRITAIN'S BEST SINCE 1912.

Ferris And Wright In Marathon.

U.S. SPRINT MEN.

Commenting on the Olympic Games Bevil Rudd writes:

The athletic events at Los Angeles have ended in a wonderful marathon, and Great Britain, with Ferris (England), and McLeod

Wright (Scotland), has made her first big contribution to this race, the most popular event of the whole Games. Once more the record was broken, but not much store can be set by that, for even if the exact

distances of 26 miles 385 yards is scrupulously kept at each Olympiad, the courses must vary considerably in character and difficulty.

One could not help wishing that Robertson, who beat Wright by a second at our championships, had been at Los Angeles, too. We might then have been second, fourth

and fifth. At any rate, second and fourth positions is an achievement of which we can be justly proud—the best national performance since

1912. The relays—in one of which we saw a glimpse of Rampling as he can be, in his marvellous pursuit of Carr—call for some comment. The fact that America found her

sprint relay team, who won in record time, from men who were not selected for the 100 metres is an astonishing tribute to the general excellence of American sprinting.

Actually Toppino and Wyckoff have records comparable to those of Tolan and Metcalfe.

It does not for a minute consider that Lawson Robertson, America's head coach, was condescending when he put in new men for the relay. He was extremely wise, for once the supreme effort has been made, there must be a diminution in nervous energy, and perhaps the fresh relay team have done what Tolan, Metcalfe and Simpson could never have accom-

plished.

SWIMMING MEET.

The 5th annual meeting of the Kwangtung Provincial Aquatic Sports has been scheduled to take place at the Happy Valley Race Course on September 13th, 14th and 15th.

and 16th of the month. It is understood that the public will be permitted to watch the various events.

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LYONS MARU	Tuesday	20th September.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.		
TOTTORI MARU	Thursday	8th September.
YAMAGATA MARU	Thursday	15th September.
SHANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.		
TOYOOKA MARU	Wednesday	14th September.
HAKOZAKI MARU	Friday	16th September.
CALCUTTA MARU	Sunday	18th September.
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RIO-DE-JANEIRO, SANTOS, MONTEVIDEO & BUENOS AIRES via Saigon, Singapore, Colombo, Durban, PORT ELIZABETH and Cape Town.	Hokuroku Maru	Wed.	28th Sept.
MOMBASA, ZANZIBAR, DAR ES SALAAM, BEIRA, LOURENCO MARQUES, DURBAN, PORT ELIZABETH, CAPE TOWN and SOUTH AMERICAN PORTS.	Rio de Janeiro Maru	Tues.	27th Sept.
MANILA, MELBOURNE, BRISBANE, SYDNEY, WELLINGTON, & AUCLAND direct.	Manila Maru	Fri.	7th Oct.
BOMBAY via Singapore, Belawan, Deli, Penang and Colombo, additional direct call at CATCH MANDVI and KARACHI via Singapore and Colombo.	Brisbane Maru	Wed.	5th Oct.
CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang and Rangoon.	Sargam Maru	Mon.	19th Sept.
JAPAN PORTS.	Hague Maru	Tues.	4th Oct.
JAPAN via Takao & Keelung.	Alaska Maru	Thurs.	8th Oct.
KEELUNG via Swatow and Amoy (3 p.m. every Sunday).	Hamburg Maru	Tues.	20th Sept.
TAKAO via Swatow and Amoy (Noon, every other Thursday).	Himalaya Maru	Sat.	24th Sept.
	Panama Maru	Fri.	9th Sept.
	Canton Maru	Sun.	11th Sept.
	Hosan Maru	Sun.	18th Sept.
	Deli Maru	Thurs.	8th Sept.

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HONG KONG, 6th September, 1932.

AFGHAN DEVOTED TO RELIGION.

Only Man Of Race Who Never Lost.

Kandy, August 5.

Ghulam Rasool Khan, an Afghan who never lent money, as he considered it amounted to a violation of Koranic precepts to do so, died in his cloister at the age of 105 recently.

He, hailed from a little hamlet on the Kandahar-Kabul route in Afghanistan. He had resigned from the Baluchistan Rifles, and come to Ceylon. After sixteen years of life as a pedlar in Matale, he had amassed a modest fortune and ever after that made Ceylon his home. He strictly believed that a Muslim could not lend money without infringing a Koranic precept. Hence he was known as the only Afghan in Ceylon who never lent money.

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SHIPPING MAGNATE'S GLOOMY FORECAST.

N.D.L. Line Seriously Affected.

CREDIT GRANTS.

Few more discouraging speeches have ever been made at the annual meeting of a big shipping company than that which Dr. P. Heineken delivered recently to the shareholders of the Norddeutscher Lloyd. He began by saying that during the many years in which he had had the honour of being associated with the company there had never been, apart from the war and its consequences, such an economic decline as that which now affected the whole world, and which had occasioned heavy losses to almost every shipping company and threatened the existence of many.

The Norddeutscher Lloyd had suffered the more from the crisis inasmuch as on the one hand Germany and Austria were the first to feel its effects and the most seriously affected by it, and, on the other hand, his company had concluded at the beginning of 1931 a very comprehensive building programme, which had necessarily involved heavy financial commitments. In order to consolidate those and reduce them to a normal standard, they had depended on 1931 and the following years.

The collapse of the Nordwall Company and the Schroeder Bank had seriously affected Bremen and induced lack of foreign confidence, says "The Syren." The withdrawal of credits in the early summer of 1931 was a pointed reminder to them of its resultant effects. In addition, in view of their great interest in the Schroeder Bank, with which they had had friendly relations for many years, they had been compelled to make substantial sacrifices, not only in the form of a cancellation of a part of their claims against the bank, but also by temporarily taking over considerable bill liabilities. That was, to a great extent, the reason why the item in the balance-sheet under that heading had reached such a high figure as 37,500,000 Marks.

Falling Freight. The decline in goods traffic combined with the constantly falling freight rates, as well as the substantial diminution in passenger fares—in no way compensated for by a larger number of passengers carried—caused a heavy fall in revenue.

Credit Withdrawal. Then came the withdrawal of foreign credits, the depreciation of sterling and the non-receipt of American compensation payments which they had hoped to receive, all of which circumstances compelled them to obtain temporary loans from institutions in close touch with the Government, these being granted under a Government guarantee.

(Continued in next Column.)

Shipping Intelligence.

Arrivals Of Ships

Monday, September 5.	Muinam, Danish str., 1,739 tons
Arabia Maru, Japanese str., 5,997 tons, Capt. S. Machihara, from Moji, buoy No. A1.—O.S.K.	Capt. V. L. Relster, from Swatow, buoy No. B10.—John Manners & Co.
Dalan Maru, Japanese str., 862 tons, Capt. K. Hashimoto, from Keelung, buoy No. C8.—Y. Sato & Co.	Nachisan Maru, Japanese str., 2,567 tons, Capt. S. Ushijima, from Keelung, buoy No. A12.—M.B.K.
Gleniffer, British str., 6,021 tons, Capt. W. H. Baker, from Singapore, Kowloon Wharf.—J.M. & Co.	Patroclus, British str., 6,910 tons, Capt. Maclure, from Shanghai, Hol's Wharf.—B. & S.

Tuesday, September 6.	Tantalus, British str., 4,812 tons, Capt. Melling, from Shanghai, buoy No. A8.—B. & S.
Chang Lee, Chinese str., 1,249 tons, Capt. Nagakawa, from Canton, buoy No. B16.—Loong Tai Hong.	Tjinegara, Dutch str., 5,782 tons, Capt. P. Weide, from Tandjong Pandan, buoy No. A7.—J.C.F.L.

Wednesday, September 7.	Halldor, Norwegian str., 840 tons, Capt. J. Hansen, from Swatow, buoy No. B4.—Thoresen & Co.
Hermes, Norwegian str., 400 tons, Capt. Eliassen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B5.—Thoresen & Co.	Yuen Sang, for Shanghai.
Hiroshi Maru, Japanese str., 665 tons, Capt. Okada, from Keelung, Yau-mati Anchorage.—M.B.K.	

Thursday, September 8.	Hulchow, British str., 1,222 tons, Capt. A. H. Bathurst, from Weihaiwei, buoy No. C4.—B. & S.
Kaying, British str., 1,572 tons, Capt. P. J. Green, from Swatow, buoy No. B14.—B. & S.	Kiungchow, British str., 1,545 tons, Capt. J. S. Anderson, from Swatow, buoy No. B20.—B. & S.
Kingyuan, British str., 1,546 tons, Capt. J. W. Jenkins, from Hoilow, buoy No. B21.—B. & S.	

CLEARANCES.

Tuesday, September 6.	Arabia Maru, for Singapore.
Chang Lee, for Tsingtau.	Glaucus, for Manila.
Gleniffer, for Shanghai.	Hydra 2, for Bangkok.
Isar, for Keelung.	Kiungchow, for Canton.
Kojun Maru, for Hongay.	Michael Jensen, for Bangkok.
Muensterland, for Manila.	Nankin, for Shanghai.
Nankwa Maru, for Paraseval Bay.	Patroclus, for Singapore.
Phasianella, for Takao.	President Lincoln, for Manila.
Proteus, for Bangkok.	Sunning, for Swatow.
Tjinegara, for Manila.	Yuen Sang, for Shanghai.

MUTINY ABOARD DUTCH SHIP.

Foreign Members Of Crew Charged.

Rotterdam, Yesterday. Two hundred members of the crew of the Holland-Amerika liner Rotterdam are to be prosecuted for allegedly disobeying orders.

When the ship arrived at 5 a.m. to-day, she was escorted by the mine-layer, Meerlant.

The police arrested nine foreign members of the crew on a charge of mutinous conduct, but allowed the Dutch members to return to their homes.—Reuter.

As a result of the further accentuation of the general economic crisis in the first half of 1932, it had become not only impossible to repay these essentially short-term credits, but, in order to survive, further measures had to be taken which involved a plan of general reorganisation, the latter entailing a prolongation of their inland private bank credits and the temporary credits, as well as the granting of further credits under Government guarantee for the purpose of carrying on during 1932.

HARBOUR OFFICE.

Big Volume Of Shipping.

MOSTLY BRITISH.

The Harbour Office Reports for the 24 hours ended 9 a.m. yesterday gave a free movement of vessels with a high tonnage. Freights were up to the mark, both the inwards and throughs reaching five figures. The total tonnage entered was 30,513.

There were 10 inward registries, of which six were British and seven of four figures, while of the seven throughs, five were British and four of four figures. Three vessels arrived in ballast.

Passengers entered during the period including 75 Europeans and 856 Asiatic deck British vessels carrying 446 out of the total in all classes.

Nationality	Arr.	HKong	Dep.	Through
		Cargo	Cargo	Tons
British	3	9,581	6	12,657
American	1	2	2	2
French	1	1,700	1	1,700
Norwegian	2	2,900	2	2,900
Japanese	3	4,128	8	2,533
Chinese	—	—	2	—
	15	18,807	18	18,890

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Emp. of Russia	Oct. 7	Oct. 10	Oct. 11	Oct. 13	Oct. 15
Emp. of Japan	Oct. 21	Oct. 24	Oct. 25	Oct. 26	Oct. 28
Emp. of Asia	Nov. 4	Nov. 7	Nov. 8	Nov. 10	Nov. 13
Emp. of Canada	Nov. 18	Nov. 21	Nov. 23	Nov. 25	Nov. 28
Emp. of Russia	Dec. 2	Dec. 5	Dec. 6	Dec. 8	Dec. 10

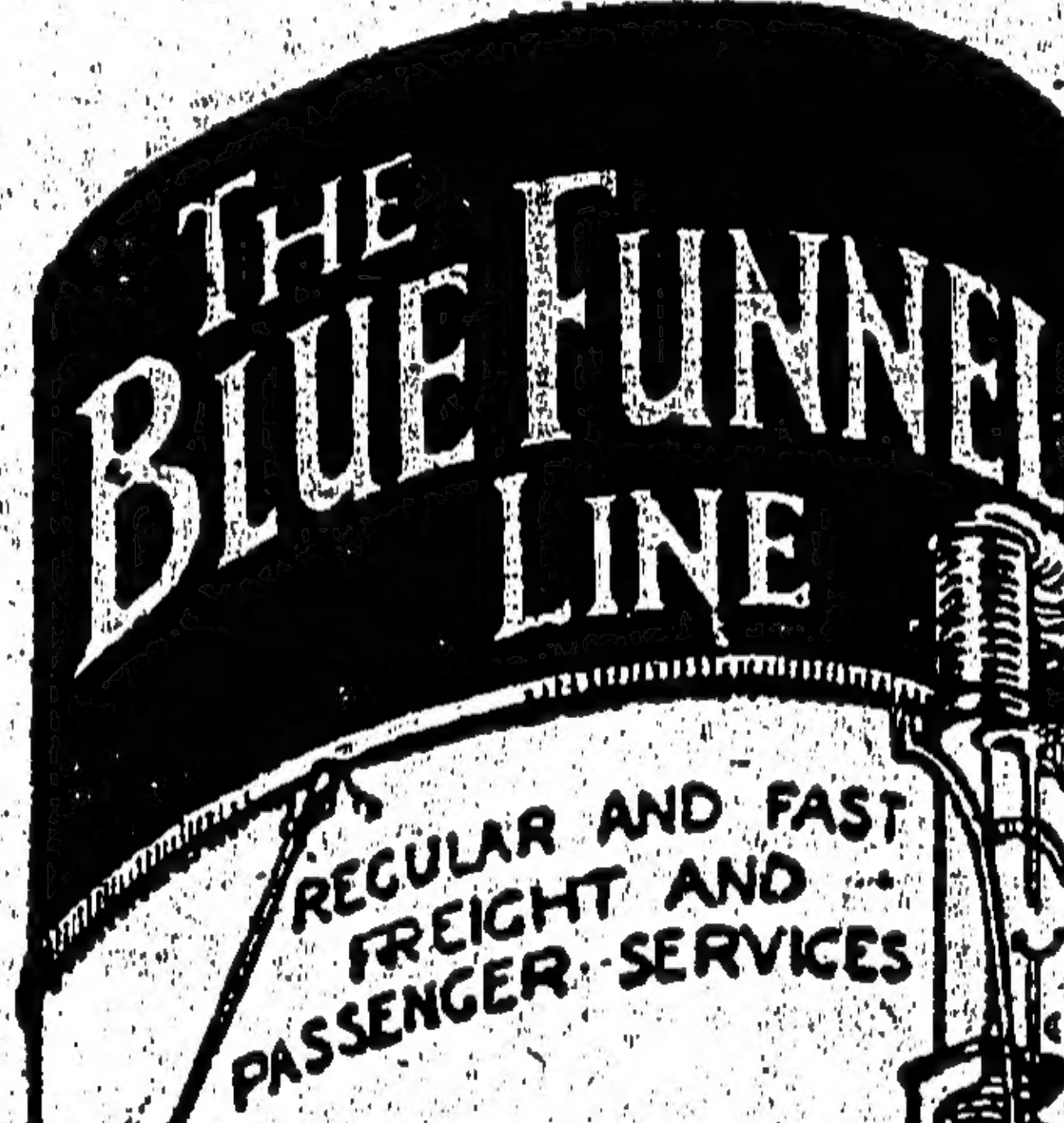
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MALWA	11,000	10th Sept.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RANCHI	17,000	24th Sept.	Marseilles & London.
*MIRZAPUR	6,700	5th Oct.	Straits, Colombo & Bombay.
CARTHAGE	14,000	8th Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*SOMALI	6,800	15th Oct.	Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
NALDERA	16,000	22nd Oct.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	5th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BANGALORE	6,500	12th Nov.	Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
CORFU	15,000	19th Nov.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
COMORIN	15,000	3rd Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
*BHUTAN	6,000	10th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles, London, Havre, Hamburg, Rotterdam, Antwerp & Hull.
RANPURA	17,000	17th Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.
KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	31st Dec.	Bombay, Marseilles & London.

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BRITISH INDIA-APCAR SAILINGS.

S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
*TAKADA	7,000	15th Sept.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
SIRDHANA	8,000	25th Sept.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.
TILAWA	10,000	15th Oct.	Singapore, Penang & Calcutta.

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S.S.	Tons	From Hong Kong About	Destination.
CARTHAGE	14,000	8th Sept.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*NOVARA	7,000	8th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
SIRDHANA	8,000	9th Sept.	Amoy, Moji, Osaka & Kobe.
NALDERA	16,000	22nd Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
TILAWA	10,000	22nd Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Osaka.
*NAGOYA	6,800	24th Sept.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BANGALORE	6,500	5th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RAJPUTANA	17,000	7th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CORFU	15,000	21st Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BHUTAN	6,000	30th Oct.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
COMORIN	15,000	4th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANPURA	17,000	18th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*SQUADAN	6,800	25th Nov.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
MALWA	11,000	28th Nov.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
KAISAR-I-HIND	12,000	2nd Dec.	Shanghai, Moji, Kobe & Yokohama.
RANCHI	17,000	15th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
*BURDWAN	6,500	25th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.
CARTHAGE	14,000	30th Dec.	Shanghai, Kobe & Yokohama.

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(Special Correspondence.)
Los Angeles, Sept. 3.
Selection of Los Angeles Harbour as the Pacific Coast terminus for five additional express freight fleets serving Oriental and East Indian ports, was made public within a period of one week recently. Included are the new joint westward round-the-world service of the Kerr Line and the Furness-Prince Line; the Blue Funnel Line, operating five fifteen-knot British freighters around the world westward; the sixteen-ship triple itinerary fleet of the Silver-Java-Pacific Line; the Danish East Asiatic Line, new monthly freight and passenger service to the Orient; and the American and Manchurian Lines, a British-flag cargo service operated out of New York to the North China range by the Ellerman-Wilson-Bucknall interests.

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HONG KONG TIDES.

The time used is Standard, or mean time of the meridian of 120 deg. E. 90h. is midnight, 12hrs. is noon. The heights are referred to the datum of the largest scale Admiralty chart of the place and should be added to the depths given on the chart unless preceded by an asterisk (*), when they should be subtracted from the depths.

September 7 to 13, 1932.									
Date	High Water Standard Ht.	Low Water Standard Ht.	High Water Times.	Low Water Times.	High Water Times.	Low Water Times.	High Water Times.	Low Water Times.	High Water Times.
Wed. 7	01 05	08 35	08 35	20 15	10 40	18 45	06 36		
Thurs. 8	01 50	08 40	10 15	18 15					
Fri. 9	02 49	08 55	11 46	16 16					
Sat. 10	03 45	09 10	12 56	13 13					
Sun. 11	04 40	09 25	14 05	11 44					
Mon. 12	05 35	09 40	14 55	11 11					
Tues. 13	06 30	09 55	15 45	10 38					

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Mail can now be forwarded to Europe via Siberia.

SAIGON-MARSEILLES AIR MAIL SERVICES.

Letters will be accepted for transmission by the above-mentioned Air Mail-Service to the destinations specified. Registered letters may be sent by the service but not insured letters.
The rates charged will be the regular postage rate plus the special air mail premium as indicated in the following table:—

Destination	Charge Rate per ½ ounce
Saigon/Marseilles Air Mail Service	
Siam (Bangkok)	\$0.15
Burma (Rangoon)	0.25
Persia (Djask)	0.75
Persia (Bushire)	0.85
Iraq (Bagdad)	0.95
Palestine (Byzanth)	1.05
Greece (Athens)	1.20
Italy (Naples)	1.35
France (Marseilles)	1.35
Great Britain and Irish Free State (London)	1.35
Europe, other countries (Marseilles for onward transmission by rail)	1.85

The air mail for each country will be landed at the place named in brackets.

The Air Mail Service from Saigon to Europe is weekly. The Hong Kong-Saigon connection will be maintained by the regular fortnightly sailing of the French mail steamers and on alternate weeks by any available steamers that can make the connection at Saigon.

Letters for this route should be marked "Saigon-Marseilles Air Service" and handed in at the G.P.O. or Kowloon Post Office.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are forwarded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

INWARD MAILS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.	Shantung
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.	Shantung
Europe via Suez (Letters and Papers) London, August 11 and Parcels, August 4.	Carthage
Straits	Novara
Shanghai	Gange
Manila	Empress of Asia
Shanghai and Amoy	Ningpo
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9.	Malwa
Japan and Shanghai	President Madison
U.S.A., Canada, Japan & Shanghai (Seattle, Aug. 20)	Philoctetes
SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10.	Philoctetes
MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.	Pres. Lincoln
TUESDAY, SEPTEMBER 13.	Shinyo Maru
Japan and Shanghai	Chenonceaux
Saigon	D'Astagnan
Australia and Manila	Tai-ping
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 16.	Hakozaki Maru
Straits	Hakone Maru
Japan and Shanghai	

OUTWARD MAILS.

WEDNESDAY, SEPTEMBER 7.	Wingwo	1.30 p.m.
Fort Bayard		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, E. & S. Africa, Egypt & Europe via Brindisi	Gange	
(Due Brindisi, Sept. 29.)		
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Registration .. Sept. 7, 3 p.m.	Registration .. Sept. 7, 3.45 p.m.	
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Amoy .. 5.30 p.m.	Tai Yuan .. 5.30 p.m.	
Samshui and Wuchow .. 4 p.m.	Tai Ming .. 4 p.m.	
THURSDAY, SEPTEMBER 8.		
Amoy .. 9.30 a.m.	Tjinegara .. 9.30 a.m.	
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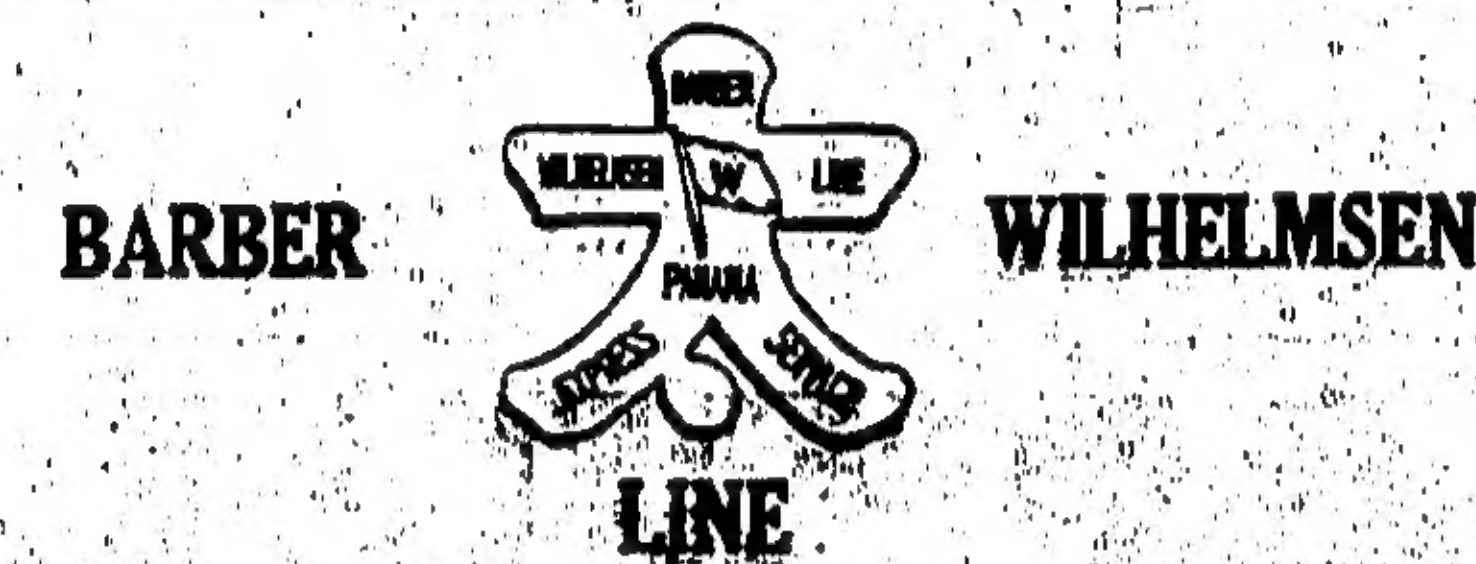


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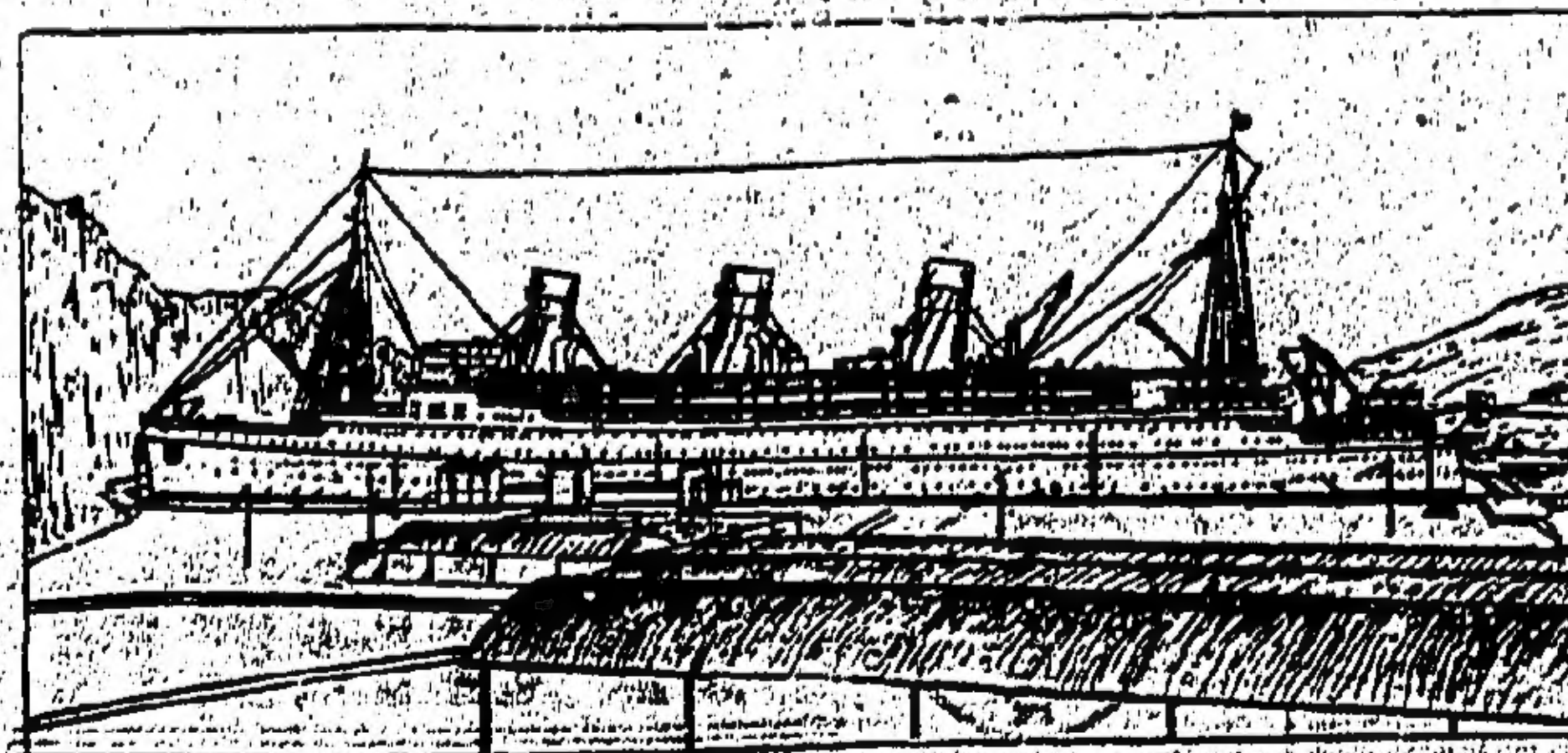
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	Letters	Sept. 8, 1 p.m.
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	Parcels	Sept. 8, 5 p.m.
	Registrations	Sept. 9, 9.15 a.m.
	Letters	Sept. 9, 10 a.m.
	FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 9.	
Holhow, Pakhoi and Haiphong	Hlungchow	10.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai-Ning	2 p.m.
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	SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 10.	
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Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Canton Maru	9 a.m.
	MONDAY, SEPTEMBER 12.	
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BRITAIN'S POLICY ON ECONOMICS.

Relief Strangled By Exchange System.

STRESSA SPOKESMAN.

Stressa, Italy, To-day. The general discussion began yesterday in the Conference of financial and economic experts on plans for the reconstruction of central and eastern Europe, at Stressa, Italy, where delegates of 15 states are attending.

The principal British delegate, Mr. Joseph Addison, British Minister at Prague, said Great Britain had not come to the Conference with her mind already made up, but she was of the opinion that the only means of attaining their end was by gradual abolition of all economic barriers. The exchange system at present in operation was strangling the economic relief of the world, he said. He agreed with the German delegate that any improvement of international exchanges would lead to automatic improvement in the financial situation.

M. Georges Bonnet, Chairman of the Stressa Conference, sent a telegram to Prime Minister Ramsay MacDonald expressing the respectful homage and loyal esteem of the Conference, which was created by the Lausanne Conference of which Mr. MacDonald was President.

Mr. MacDonald's reply conveyed best wishes to M. Bonnet and his colleagues for the success "Which I am confident will attend the labours under your Chairmanship."—British Wireless Service.

NOTED NOVELIST PASSES AWAY.

Sir Gilbert Parker Dies Suddenly.

PROLIFIC WRITER.

London, To-day.

Sir Gilbert Parker, novelist and historian, whose works have been widely read for many years, died suddenly to-day.

Born in Canada in 1862, Sir Gilbert was educated at Toronto and married Miss Amy Van Tine, New York, 1895. She was the inspiration, it is known, for the first work he published, poetry, richly endowed, "A Lover's Diary" published in 1894. From that time onwards, Sir Gilbert published with regularity and frequency.

He was widely travelled and a keen student of history, particularly of his own land. His knowledge of the French-Canada habitant, of his sympathetic treatment of their lives in fiction, mark him as one of the leading authorities in this particular direction.

He organised and originated the first Imperial Universities Conference in London in 1903, and for 18 years he was member of Parliament for Gravesend.

Sir Gilbert had worked assiduously up to very recent times. In 1928 he had published "The Promised Land," his last novel, and it is understood that he had another book ready for the press before he died.

Sir Gilbert is one of the few men who is estimated to have become extremely wealthy through his writings.—Reuter.

GOVERNMENT SEEKS TO END STRIKE.

Both Sides Urged To Meet At Once.

POLICY REVISION.

London, To-day.

The Government has taken a hand in the Lancashire cotton strike, and Sir Henry Betterton, Minister of Labour, has written both trade union and employers advocating selection of a special committee in the cotton industry to deal with such matters as wage disputes.

The present impasse was largely brought about, he said, by the failure of the system of collective negotiation.

Sir Henry Betterton urges a meeting of both sides in the present dispute at the earliest possible moment to discuss plans for the formation of special committees.

The union has not yet replied to the Minister's suggestions nor have the employers made any statement with respect to the suggested system of arbitration, but it is generally supposed that both sides are anxious to reach an agreement of some sort within the shortest possible space of time.

Government Criticized.

The Trade Union Congress opened at Newcastle yesterday and will remain in session throughout the week. Mr. John Bromley, in his presidential address, criticised the Government's handling of the economic situation and declared the right policy was not to curtail production but to increase consumption.

He denounced an economic policy which lessened the purchasing power of the great body of consumers and said the problem will only be solved by drastic action on the basis of a shorter working day and working week without a reduction of wages. Employment must be equitably shared between the workless and the overworked.

The Congress agreed to make a contribution of £1,000 to the unions engaged in the Lancashire cotton dispute.—Reuter.

MORE WAR PLANES AT SHANGHAI.

Ordered By Central Authorities.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Shanghai, To-day.

Six new fighting planes, ordered from the United States by the Central Government, arrived here yesterday.

They will be uncrated and assembled and taken to Nanking at once. This is one of a number of shipments of aircraft and parts which are on order and have been coming into China steadily for some time past.

In a notification issued by the Director of Public Works, it is stated that the principal and main roads in the area bounded by Queen's Road on the north, Causeway Road on the south, Peel Street and the east, and Square Street to the west, will be closed between 7 p.m. to-morrow and 7 a.m. on Friday, in order that certain works can be carried out.

MURDER SUSPECT ARRESTED.

Man In Hospital As Charge Pending.

FOUND NEAR CRIME SCENE.

Police have arrested a Chinese, suspected of having murdered a school boy in a fight at 40 Tung Lo Wan Road, Monday night. He is at present in hospital, but will probably be charged on or before his release.

The killing occurred when a prowler was attacked by a courageous Chinese boy. In the struggle the boy was stabbed to death and four members of his family wounded.

A message to all Stations was circulated from the Wanchai Police Station, shortly after midnight that a wanted man, named Li Kap, suspected of the murder, had been arrested.

The alleged murderer is now in the Government Civil Hospital suffering from injuries to his legs sustained, it is believed, by jumping from the verandah of 40 Tung Lo Wan Road, to the street. He was arrested last night by a Chinese Detective-Sergeant on the first floor of house No. 35, five doors away from the scene of the murder.

RUMOUR OF JAPAN'S PEACE GESTURE.

No Confirmation In China's Capital.

Nanking, To-day.

It is officially announced that no information has been received to confirm the report that the new Japanese Minister, Mr. Ariyoshi, is bringing to Nanking proposals for direct Sino-Japanese negotiations for the settlement of the Manchurian dispute.

It is emphasised that even if the report is true it will merely represent the Japanese intentions, since the Chinese Government adheres to its original policy to leave the matter in the hands of the League of Nations.—Reuter.

CANTON WILL SEND STUDENTS ABROAD.

Search For Suitable Candidates Starts.

[From Our Own Correspondent.]

Canton, To-day.

With a view to securing the services in Government Departments of more men with specialized technical knowledge, the Canton Government is searching for suitable candidates among its students to send abroad to study.

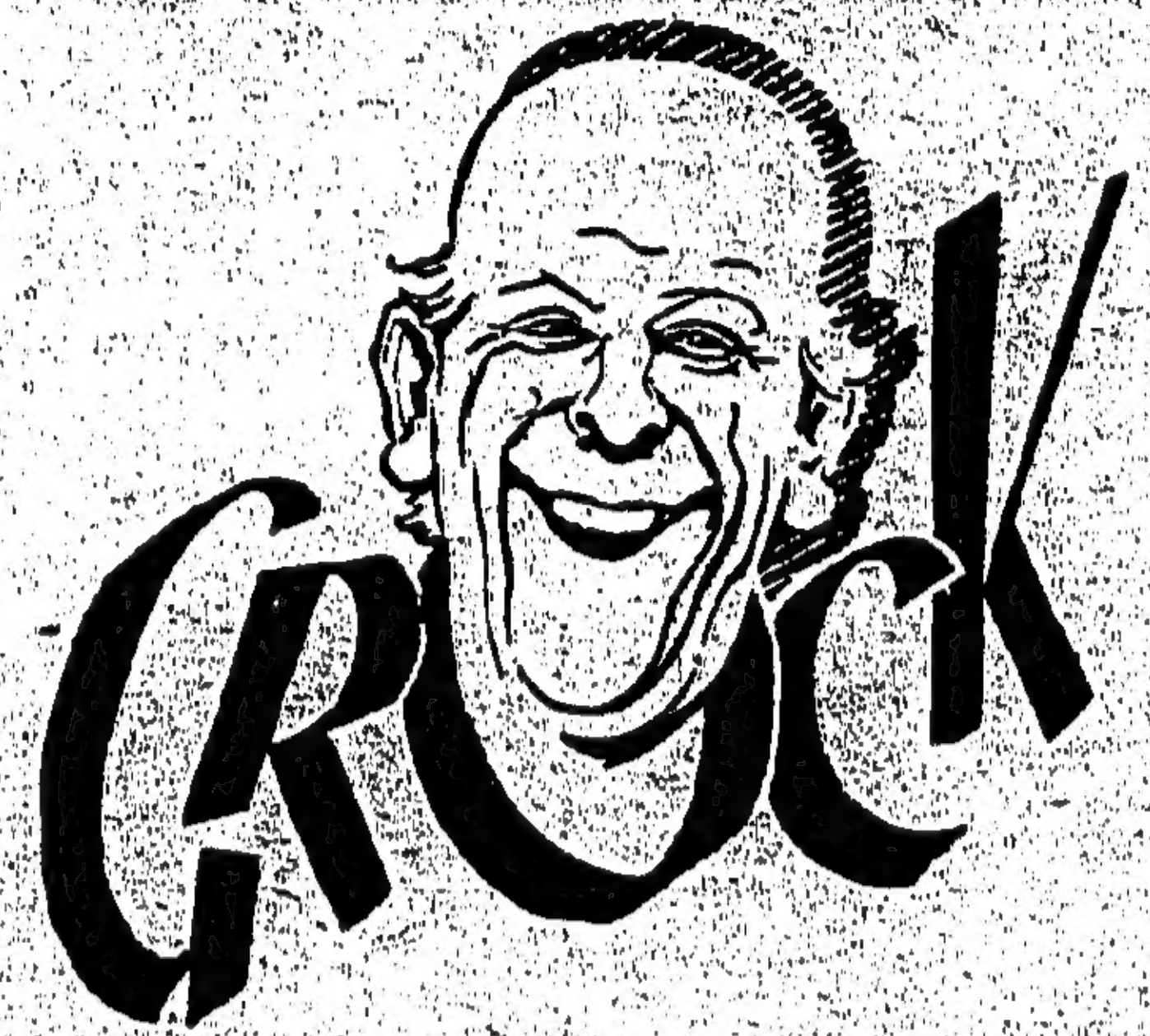
Agriculture, engineering and medicine are the crying wants of the Government in the realm of scientific learning, it is said.

The Department of Education has charge of the programme and will conduct examinations at the end of the present month. Mr. Tsang Tung-chun will be the examining officer.

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